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Births.

CLARKE.—July 24, at her residence, Keira, Mosman's Bay, the wife of Harold Clarke, of a son.

KLEIN.—July 16, at her residence, Grey-street, Waverley, the wife of C. Klein, of a son.

Marriages.

FISHER—DUKE.—December 1, 1887, by Rev. James Hill, Edward Fisher, of Germany, to Maggie, youngest daughter of Henry Duke, County Armagh, Ireland. Home papers please copy.

GAZE—SCOTT.—July 17, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Charles Jones, Wesleyan minister, Frederick Owen, youngest son of William Gaze, Esq., Norwich, England, to Constance, second daughter of James Irvine Scott, Sydney, granddaughter of Patrick O'Brien Murphy, great granddaughter of the late Robert Archdall, of Dhrumadravy, Ireland, great great granddaughter of the late Col. Mervyn Archdall, Castle Archdall, county Fermanagh, Ireland.

MYERS—COLEMAN.—July 25, at Christ Church, Sydney, by the Rev. C. Garney, Boyd C. Myers, youngest son of the late George Myers, Washington, U.S.A., to Emmie, adopted daughter George Coleman, formerly of Leicester, England. Leicester Chronicle please copy.

Deaths.

BEAUMONT.—July 28, at his parents' residence, Bondi, George Scott, infant son of Joshua and Mary Beaumont, aged 2 months and 12 days. Gone but not forgotten.

BRAY.—July 4, 1888, John Andrew, aged 25 years, eldest son of William and Margaret L. Bray, Stanmore, late of Summer Hill. Deeply regretted.

CASEY.—July 29, at his parent's residence, Casey's Hotel, George and Liverpool streets, Albert Reynolds, second son of Michael Casey, aged 6 years and 9 months.

GILBERT.—June 27, at her parents' residence, Moncur-street, Ada, the beloved daughter of George and Annie Gilbert, aged 14 days. R. I. P.

M'KILLOP.—July 27, at his parents' residence, Ellesmere, Goulburn, Colin Paul, twin son of Robert and Theresa M'Killop.

M'LEOD.—July 28, at her residence, Carleton Villa, East St. Leonards, Elizabeth, the dearly beloved wife of Fred. M'Leod, aged 27 years.

MITCHELL.—July 30, at Narandera, Robert Mitchell, jun., of Bundidgary Station, aged 41 years. Mr. Mitchell was thrown from his horse while on his way home, and fatally injured.

RADFORD.—July 30, at her parent's residence, Cameron-street, Paddington, Elizabeth Radford, eldest daughter of Harry Radford, aged 24.

ROUSE.—July 29, George Rouse, of Beaudesert, near Mudgee, aged 72.

SUMMERBELL.—July 29, at her residence, 81, Victoria-street North, Honoria Mary, the beloved wife of William Summerbell.

SUMMERBELL.—July 7, at Liverpool, Andrew Summerbell, aged 58.

In Memoriam.

AUSTIN.—In sad and loving remembrance of my dearly beloved Mother, Annie M. Austin, who departed this life on July 31, 1885. Inserted by her loving daughter, Mrs. J. Vercoe. Dead but not forgotten.

AUSTIN.—In loving remembrance of my dearly beloved mother, Annie Maria, who departed this life on July 31, 1885, aged 45 years. Inserted by her loving son, John.

AUSTIN.—In loving remembrance of my dearly beloved wife, Annie Maria, who departed this life on the 31st of July, 1885, aged 45 years.

HAYES.—In loving remembrance of my dear mother, Rebekah Hayes, who died at her residence, Webb-street, North Shore, July 31st, 1885, aged 60 years. Dead, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughter, Rebekah Adamson.

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CUZCO	3845 "	J. H. F. Nixon	August 14
GARONNE	3876 "	W. E. White	August 28
LUSITANIA	3825 "	—	September 11

And fortnightly thereafter.

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Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Leave Sydney noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.
Arcadia	6600	W. B. Andrews	Aug. 6	Aug. 10	Aug. 13
* Massilia	4918	S. D. Shallard	Aug. 20	Aug. 24	Aug. 27
Oceana	6600	G. N. Hector	Sept. 3	Sept. 7	Sept. 10
Carthage	5013	E. G. Stead	Sept. 17	Sept. 21	Sept. 24

and thenceforth every alternate week.

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Steamer.	Commander	Leave Sydney, noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Adelaide, Semaphore.
Salier	C. Thalenhorst	Aug. 15	August 18	August 20
Hohenzollern	A. Meier	Sept. 12	Sept. 15	Sept. 17
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S.S. ADELAIDE	SATURDAY, August 4	at 1 p.m.
S.S. VICTORIAN	SATURDAY, August 11	at 1 p.m.

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ULLADULLA—Wednesday, noon, cargo, 11 a.m.; Friday, 10 a.m., cargo 8 a.m.
CLYDE, BATEMAN'S BAY—Friday, 10 a.m.
MORUYA—Friday, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
TATHRA (for BEGA)—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
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Port	Steamer	Sailing
MELBOURNE Wharf direct	Elamang	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
	Barcoo	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 7
BRISBANE	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
Ditto	Eurimbla	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
Ditto	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
Ditto	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
Ditto	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 7
Ditto	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 8
MARYBOROUGH, Tuesday's and Sat'day's steamers change at Brisbane	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., August 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
BUNDABERG	Eurimbla	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
GLADSTONE	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 8
ROCKHAMPTON Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Keppel Bay	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
	Eurimbla	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., August 7
BOWEN	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
PORT MACKAY (Flat Top)	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
TOWNSVILLE	Eurimbla	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
CAIRNS	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Wednesday's steamers change at Brisbane	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 7
	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug 8
	Elamang	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (change at Cleveland Bay)	Warrego	This day, 5 p.m., July 31
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
THURSDAY ISL'D, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields), changing in Brisbane; BURKETOWN, change at Normanton	Eurimbla	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
NOUMEA, ANEITYUM, HAVANNAH HARBOUR, NEW HEBRIDES, SUVA, Fiji, LEVUKA, Fiji	Gunga	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
ADELAIDE	By early steamer	

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THIS DAY, July 31, 4 p.m.	BURWAH	W. Ellis
THURSDAY, Aug. 2, 12 noon	GAMBIER	R. R. Brown
FRIDAY, Aug. 3, 5 p.m.	BARRABOOL	T. Richardson
TUESDAY, Aug. 7, 4 p.m.	KONOOWAR'A	G. Smith

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THURSDAY, Aug. 9, 12 noon	BUNINYONG	J. D. Joy

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THIS DAY, July 31, 4 p.m.	RODONDO	W. Seymour
SATURDAY, Aug. 4, 1 p.m.	LEURA	F. Stanford
TUESDAY, Aug. 7, 4 p.m.	BURWAH	W. Ellis

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Bundaberg, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek (also see separate advertisement).

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TUESDAY, Aug. 7, 4 p.m.	BURWAH	W. Ellis

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HOBART, via EDEN, S.S. FLORA, 1278 tons register, FRIDAY, August 3, at 10 a.m.
S.S. OONAH, 1700 tons register, MONDAY, August 6, at noon.

Return Tickets are available for Six Months.

TO AND FROM HOBART,
Saloon, Return, £8. Single, £5.
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NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, and RAYMOND TERRACE.—Hunter River New S. N. Co.'s steamers. From Wharf, foot of Market-street.

THIS NIGHT, Tuesday, taking cargo only, the LUBRA.
TO-MORROW NIGHT, Wednesday, at 11.30, the NAMOI.

Goods will not be received after 4 p.m. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars, apply at the Central Booking Office, 353, George-street, or at Office, 147, Sussex-street.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. BELLINGER, now at Wharf, receiving cargo, positively THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 7 p.m.

SPLENDID PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION.

B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

FAIRFIELD GOLDFIELDS.
S.S. BELLINGER, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 7 p.m.
Cargo booked via Casino for Drake, Red Rock, White Rock, Tabulam, &c. B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

STEAM TO CAPE HAWKE.
S.S. EMMA PYERS, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 4 p.m.
Passengers and Cargo now booked.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

STEAM to TWEED RIVER and BYRON BAY.—The regular trading steamship KARUAH, MONDAY NEXT, at 6 p.m.

GEO. W. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

S. N. CO.'S s. s. PETERBOROUGH for SHELL-HARBOUR ONLY, TO-NIGHT, at 6, from Caledonian Wharf. No cargo received after 5.

JOHN RITCHIE, Agent.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. CITY OF GRAFTON, THIS NIGHT, at 9.

Superior accommodation. Inspection invited.

Goods for Glen Innes, Fairfield, and Tenterfield forwarded free of agency charges without any delay.

Richmond River passengers landed at Lawrence and Harwood.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C. and R. R. S. N. Company, Clarence Wharf, 3, Sussex-street North.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, THIS MORNING, at 11.

Shippers are requested to send cargo down early.

Goods for Fairfield may be shipped via Casino.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C. and R. R. S. N. Company.

MACLEAY RIVER.

STEAMER EARLY.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C. and R. R. S. N. Company, Clarence Wharf, 3, Sussex-street North.

JOHN SEE AND CO'S LINE OF STEAMERS leave Market Wharf, Market-street, for

MANNING RIVER, S.S. ROSEDALE, THIS DAY, 7 p.m.
S.S. ROSEDALE, FRIDAY NEXT.
PORT MACQUARIE, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY, 7 p.m.
S.S. WELLINGTON, MONDAY NEXT.
BELLINGER RIVER, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY, 7 p.m.
NAMBUCCA RIVER, S.S. FERNMOUNT, TO-MORROW, 4 p.m.

Cargo received daily up to within an hour of sailing.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.
S.S. AUSTRALIAN, THIS NIGHT, at 9,
S.S. HELEN NICOLL, SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9,
from Market Wharf, foot of Market-street.

The saloons of these steamers are amidships, and afford superior accommodation for passengers. Passengers landed at Harwood and Lawrence. Goods are conveyed for Glen Innes, Fairfield, Emmaville, Inverell, and Tenterfield free of agency or wharfage fees.

JOHN SEE and CO., 129, Sussex-street.

HAWKESBURY STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited.

S.S. HAWKESBURY leaves Victoria Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, on WEDNESDAY, at 8 a.m., taking Passengers and Cargo for all parts of the River. Cargo received up to 6 p.m. on TUESDAY. This steamer calls at Peat's Ferry for passengers leaving Sydney by the 9.40 a.m. train. For further particulars apply at Office, 99, Sussex-street.

GOSFORD AND NEWCASTLE BY TRAIN AND STEAMER.

S.S. GOSFORD and CHARLOTTE FENWICK DAILY.

From King-street Wharf, 8.30 a.m.; No. 4 Jetty, 9 a.m.

From Gosford, 2 p.m. Fares—4s single, 6s return.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS from King-st. Whf., 9 a.m., via Darling-str.; No. 4 Jetty, 9.30 a.m. Return, 5s, available day of issue.

Goods received at King-st. Whf. ONLY. Freight payable in Syd.

PARRAMATTA RIVER AND HUNTER'S HILL STEAMERS LEAVE KING-STREET DAILY for ALL WHARVES: TO

PARRAMATTA—6, 7, 9, 11 12 (Sat. 12.15), 1, (Sat. 1.15), 3, 5.5.
HUNTER'S HILL, &c.—6, 7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 11 a.m., 12, 1 (Sat. 12.15, 1.15), 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

Steamers leave No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., calling at all wharves.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMER FERRY.

HOURLY, from LIME-STREET WHARF, calling at Atlas Works, Greenwich, and Woolwich.

Cargo Boat daily from Lime-street, at 1 p.m.

MANLY BEACH.
the most beautiful watering-place near Sydney.

Saloon Steamers BRIGHTON, FAIRLIGHT, and NARRABEEN (weather permitting, and as far as practicable)

LEAVE SYDNEY 7.15, *6, 9, 10.30, 11.30, 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.15, 7.30, 9, 11.15.
LEAVING MANLY, 7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 10, 11, 12.30 2, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 10.

*Mondays only.

Special Time-table for Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

Reduced Fares—Return Ticket, 1s; children, 6d.

Freight received from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., holidays excepted.

Loose hay and straw cannot be shipped.

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6d. FROM No. 2 JETTY. 6d.

The ADMIRAL, specially fitted up for the service (weather permitting), leaves No. 2 Jetty, 7.15, 10.35, 2.35, 5.30.

Manly—8.15, 12, 4.45, 6.5. Return fare, 6d.

Patronise this new opposition service and suppress monopoly.

Freight carried at reduced rates. Printed lists on application. Office, No. 2 Jetty.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR DAILY (Landing at Clontarf). S.S. LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Fare, 1s.

TWEED RIVER.—VALE, on Thursday. Cargo now received. Apply R. Langley, 92, Sussex-street.

FOR PORT PIRIE, S. A.

CHEAPEST and SHORTEST ROUTE FOR CARGO to BROKEN HILL and SILVERTON.

Weekly Service, via Adelaide.
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At greatly reduced rates.

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ADELAIDE, via Adelaide, SATURDAY, August 4, at 1 p.m.

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GIBB LINE OF CHINA STEAMERS.

S.S. TETARTOS, from FOOCHOW.

CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Grafton Wharf.

The ship will not be responsible for any loss of or damage to cargo after same shall have been landed, and any cargo impeding discharge will be entered and stored at consignees' risk and expense.

BILLS of LADING must be produced, freight and wharfage paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any cargo will be delivered.

BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, Managing Agents.

BARQUE SCOTTISH WIZARD, for BATAVIA.

All ACCOUNTS against this vessel must be RENDERED to the undersigned by noon TO-DAY, otherwise they cannot be recognised.

BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, Agents.

BARQUE NOTERO, from LYTTELTON.

CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES, present bills lading, and pay freight. Goods impeding discharge of ship will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

JOSHUA LITTLE, Agent, 19, Hunter-street.

NORTH SHORE STEAM FERRY COMPANY, Limited. STEAMERS for SALE. Apply No. 5 Jetty.

TWENTY-FOUR FEET Half-deck BOAT, Carvel build, £56; new, good model. Boat, Herald Office.

TONNAGE wanted, to load from Lyttelton; also, Oamaru, for Europe.

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WANTED, 2 Suits secondhand SAILS, one 17ft., one 14ft., and Boom. H. Rissler's Boatshed, Kent-street.

WHARFAGE.—First-class accommodation available. Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-st. T. and W. Willis, agents.

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PORTMANTEAUS, TRUNKS, and BAGS, in everysize and style.

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Business Announcements.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.

We beg to intimate that on and after 1st AUGUST NEXT our BUSINESS will be carried on at VICKERY'S-BUILDINGS, 76, Pitt-street.

GARRARD and HAMILTON, Real Property and Estate Agents, 122A, Elizabeth-street.

Sydney, July 30, 1888.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENT.

T. S. HUNTLEY, 18, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, undertakes all kinds of Mining Business, Management, Formation of Companies, &c.

N.B.—Also the sale of City and Country Properties.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—R. BURGIS, Tailor, has REMOVED from Pitt-st. to 348, Geo.-st., opp. Wynyard-st.

Lectures.

CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE and DEFENCE ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The Fourth LECTURE will be given in the TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, July 31, by Mr. J. F. FLOYD, Evangelist. Subject: "Some Mistakes of Col. R. G. Ingersoll and Others." Questions invited. Doors open at 7.30, Lecture at 8. The chair will be taken by Dr. James Kingsbury. Admission by ticket, 3d. E. GOLE, Hon. Sec.

THE SECOND of a COURSE of LECTURES to YOUNG MEN will be delivered in the Congregational School Hall, Pitt-street, TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock, by HERR W. OPPERMANN.

Subject: "HOW TO RISE IN THE WORLD."

The Hon. P. Abigail in the chair.

MISS VON FINKELSTEIN'S Five Costume and Tableau LECTURES, commencing NEXT MONDAY. See Amusements.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The following FREE LECTURE will be delivered THIS DAY, TUESDAY, in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 p.m. :—"Bleaching," by Mr. H. P. White, F.C.S.

EDWD. DOWLING, Secretary.

COOKERY.—Miss WHITESIDE will give a Demonstration high-class Cookery to-day, 2.30., 1s 6d. 275, Victoria-st.

MAJOR DANE'S LAST LECTURE TO-NIGHT. Don't miss it. See particulars Amusement Column.

Personal.

DEAR SHAD,—Many happy returns of the day. Beauty.

DOROTHY,—Received. Fondest love and best wishes. Well and happy.

ERNEST NIGHTINGALE please call at once on C. C. READ, Solicitor, 133, King-street, Sydney. Important.

IF the person who took charge of Dog on Thursday night at Brighton Hall, Petersham, will kindly return him to Mr. CHRISTMAS, Elswick-street, Leichhardt, he will be rewarded.

IF PATRICK FOLEY (or his children), from Ennistimon, County Clare, Ireland, when last heard from by his brother, Cornelius Foley, of Vermont, N. America, he was in Sydney. Any information will be thankfully received by his niece, Mrs. A. ROWE, Queensland Hotel, Erskine-street, Sydney.

J. P. BROSNAN, late on staff of Queanbeyan Age,—Send address to W. P., Box 3, P. O., Queanbeyan.

MISS ADA MILLER, late of Botany, send address to friend. E. L. R., Oxford-street P. O.

MR. JAMES MARTIN'S ADDRESS urgently wanted by friend from England. E. Y., P. O. Toorak, Melbourne.

MR. WALTER JURY, late of the Thames goldfield, New Zealand, if requiring employment, please communicate with CHAS. L. GARLAND, M.L.A., care R. F. Fincher, 28, Sydney Arcade.

R. M. RILEY (late of the Detective Force), Private Inquiry, Missing Friends, and General Business Agency Office, No. 42, ROYAL ARCADE, SYDNEY.

Absconders and wife-deserters traced, and all kinds of confidential inquiries instituted. Evidence obtained in divorce, libel, fraud, and incendiary cases for the legal profession and others. Copies of wills, certificates of birth, marriage, or death obtained in any part of the world. R. M. R. having established agencies in all parts of the globe, he is in a position to conduct all inquiries with caution, expedition, and strictest secrecy, and to promptly attend to all business entrusted to his care.

TRUST,—I am so anxious about you, not hearing; do send some word; I cannot bear this silence; self-contented otherwise.

UNCLAIMED CABLEGRAMS lying at this office, addressed to SHIPMAN, from London, and MAX LUDOLFF, from Hamburg. W. WILSON.

Chief Telegraph Office, July 30, 1888.

WILL HARRY BADDELEY call or communicate immediately with Williams, 67, Hunter-st. Important.

WILL Brisbane young lady who failed to be at the corner of Bourke and Oxford streets (Ryan's) on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock, address to Box 926 immediately.

Lost and Found.

A GOLD BROOCH LOST Saturday last, supposed Surry Hills; initial G. in centre. Reward, Allerding and Son, Hunter-street.

LOST, Sunday afternoon, Canterbury Bridge, Cook's River, HANDBAG, with contents. Reward, E. G., 15, Pitt st.

LOST, Silver LOCKET and CHAIN in Botanical Gardens, Sunday. Reward, 3, Lower Campbell-st., S. Hills.

LOST, on Sunday, a CANARY, with green crest. Reward on returning same to Mrs. Knox, Fiona, Double Bay.

LOST, Bunch of KEYS, 4 or 5. Reward, Surry Laundry, Glenmore-road, near Rushcutter Bay.

LOST, Monday, from 4, Lyons-terrace, 2 small Grey Cockatoo Parrots. Handsome reward returned Mrs. Belisario.

LOST, Brown OVERCOAT, Friday, 20th instant, road to Waverley. Reward, Milne, tobacconist, Pitt-street.

LOST, on Sunday, in Johnston-st. waiting-room, ladies' JACKET. Mrs. Renwick, Walmer, M'Kenzie-st., Leich'rdt.

LOST, Beagle BITCH (small), Sunday, Newtown. Reward. W. Charman, 124, Henderson-road, Alexandria.

LOST, Fox-terrier DOG, Saturday night, Pitt-street. Reward, Warkworth, Shaw-street, Petersham.

LOST, on Strathfield station, on Saturday afternoon, Lady's dark green Silk UMBRELLA, walnut handle; reward. Apply C. DAVIS, Solicitor, Temple-court.

LOST, a Gold EARRING, in 10 p.m. Bondi tram, on Sunday. Reward 10s on return to Mr. LEWIS, Hairdresser, Charing Cross, Waverley.

LOST, a PURSE, between Bathurst-street and Woollahra tram, on Saturday, containing a ring and silver. Can keep money if ring is returned to Julia, 25, Clarence-street.

LOST, Friday night, at Newtown Social, or between Newtown and Surry Hills, Gold and Enamel BRACELET. Reward. 117, Albion-street, Surry Hills.

LOST or STRAYED, a small Rose COCKATOO, answers by the name Pinky, perfectly tame. Apply Saml. Ackman, Craven Villa, Potts Point. Reward.

LOST, Monday, July 30, in George-street, Silver BRACELET. Reward, on returning to Lance Bros., painters, corner King and Alice streets, Newtown.

LOST, two Italian Greyhound PUPS. Reward on returning to Fosterville Hotel, Macquarie-street South. Anyone detaining him after this notice will be prosecuted.

LOST in Newtown tram, or dropped at stopping-place before Victoria Park, Green Leather PURSE. Finder liberally rewarded by returning same 1, Scobeloff-terrace, near Skating Rink, Summer Hill.

LOST, on Sunday afternoon, between Liverpool and Oxford streets, Silver LOCKET and Chain, initials E.K. Finder rewarded on returning to 151, Riley-street, Woolloomooloo.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, Collie DOG. F. Messiter, 594, George-street.

PAWNBROKERS, &c.—Lost or Stolen, Gold Watch, "W. B." on case, and inscribed. 282, Pitt-street. Reward.

REWARD.—LOST, in North Shore tram, between 5 and 6 p.m., on Friday afternoon, PURSE, containing money and memorial brooch set with pearls, &c. Kindly leave at Kingal, Lavender Bay, or Dalton Bros., city.

STRAYED, from Hawthorne, Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst, large DOG, half bloodhound, half mastiff, with studded leather collar on. Anyone keeping same will be prosecuted.

WOULD the Driver who drove lady and two gentlemen, corner Little Macleay-street, Saturday evening, kindly return walking jacket left in cab, Centennial Hotel, William-street? Reward.

FOUND, on Gladesville-road, Silver WATCH. Owner can have same by sending number, 16, Lewis-st., Redfern.

FOUND, on Sunday, a Season TICKET Crystal Palace Skating Rink. Apply Foster's Depot, 144, William-street.

STRAYED into my yard, brown PONY, like triangle near shoulder. John Knight, Lyne-street, Alexandria.

Business Cards.

A. A.—ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—V. Sets, £5; Gold Sets, £15. Marshall Brothers, dentists, 133, Elizabeth-st.

A. EMANUEL, Dentist (painless dentistry). 472, George-street, opposite Markets.

AUBREY DAVIS, Dentist, Royal Arcade, 492, George-street, next Hordern's new shop. Complete set, £5 5s.

A. COX, Silk, Woollen, and Cotton Dyer, Scourer, and Hot Presser, 61, William-street, Woolloomooloo; 955, Railway Bridge; and 50, Hunter-st. Gentlemen's apparel scoured and properly pressed daily. Mourning dyed on the shortest notice.

A CARD.—The FIRST PRIZE and Highest Award for Mechanical Dentistry at the SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, the N. S. W. Agricultural Exhibition Medal for years successively, the London International Medal, and the Philadelphia Centennial Medal for Artificial Teeth, have been gained by Mr. John Spencer against all competitors.

PAINLESS EXTRACTION by the aid of Nitrous Oxide Gas.

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GAS Cooking.—Raleigh's "Paragon" cooking To-day, To-morrow, and Thursday, from 11 till 1. 258, Elizabeth-st.

J. G. GRIFFIN, STOCK and SHARE BROKER (Member Sydney Stock Exchange), 1 and 2, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Correspondence invited and promptly attended to.

MONUMENTS, Headstones, Railings, &c. Designs on application. J. Hanson and Co., 229, Elizabeth-st., Hyde P.

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PAINLESS DENTISTRY.—Mr. C. G. HODGSON, 69, Hunter-street (late Cavendish-square, London, W.)

THE LADIES' Dining-rooms, with separate entrance and Lavatory, Temperance Hall, Pitt-st. Dinner, 1s, Tea 9d.

Calls on Shares.

OBAN TIN and GEM MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of TWO SHILLINGS (2s) per Share has been made payable to me, at the Company's Office, No. 6, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before WEDNESDAY, the 8th August next.

By order of the Directors, WILLIAM RIGG, Manager.

Sydney July 26, 1888.

GARIBALDI GOLD and ANTIMONY MINING COMPANY, No Liability.—Notice is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a call (the first) of Six Pounds per Share, payable to me at the above address on or before WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of August, 1888. By order of the Board.

JAMES LITTLE, Legal Manager.

267, George-street, Sydney, 30th July, 1888.

Books, Publications, &c.

AT Annual Meeting of Fruitgrowers' Union of N. S. W. at Parramatta, it was resolved that a Copy of the CUMBERLAND ARGUS and FRUITGROWERS' ADVOCATE, containing report of the meeting, be forwarded to every town in the colony. The Argus is the recognised local paper, largest circulation, best advertising medium. Subscription: 2s per quarter.

DAVID BUCHANAN'S Orations.—Subjects: Death Punishment, Divorce, Drama, Garibaldi, Garfield, Burns, Christianity, Titles, Prostitution, The Drunkard, Parkes, Robertson, Protection, &c. "Full of fire, force, and pathos."—Herald.

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Overture at 8 sharp.
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New Scenery by Mr. W. B. Spong, Kneebone, and assistants.
Prices—5s, 3s, 2s, and One Shilling.
Box Office open daily at Nicholson's Music Warehouse, where seats can be secured six days in advance.
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Gaiety Theatre, Sydney, 28th July, 1888.
To the Ladies and Gentlemen of the French Comedy Company.—As the existing circumstances, of which you are all aware, have compelled me to close the French Comedy Season, I desire, in doing so, to acknowledge to you all my deep sense of the consideration you have shown me in the difficulty. Although you had five months' engagement with me, you have most generously, and with characteristic French chivalry, foregone the remaining terms of your engagements, and so liberated me from an enormous liability and trouble. Considering that your financial positions are deplorable, and that you are so far from your native land, and with no possible means of going back, this act is specially generous, and is sufficient to make me feel ever grateful. I exceedingly regret the unfortunate ending of the season; and in thus acknowledging your goodness to me I can only express the wish that, as far as yourselves are concerned, the trouble will be only of a temporary nature, and that you will all receive that help which, I regret, I am unable to give, and meet with the success in the future you all so richly deserve.
I remain, Ladies and Gentlemen, yours sincerely,
(Signed) G. TESSERO.

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Entrance for each race 1 sov. only. Entries for the above must be made with the undersigned before 4.15 p.m. on MONDAY, 6th August, 1888.
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SOUTHERN BRITISH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.
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GATES open at 2 p.m. GAME commences at 3 p.m.
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last of the First Season,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 1st, at 8 o'clock,
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PROGRAMME.
1. Pianoforte Trio—"Op. 97, in B flat" ... Beethoven
Messrs. KOWALSKI, ALLPRESS, and WINCKELMANN.
2. Duet—"E Fia Vero!" (Favourita) ... Donizetti
Messrs. WALSHE and HALLEWELL.
3. Piano Soli (a) "Pensée du soir" ... Rubinstein
(b) "Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 9" ... Liszt
Mons. H. KOWALSKI.
4. Grand Air—"Gilles de Bretagne" ... Kowalski
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
5. Duo (Piano and Violin)—"Sonate, No. 2" Rubinstein
Messrs. KOWALSKI and ALLPRESS.
6. Song—"Die beiden Grenadiere" ... Schumann
Mr. HALLEWELL.
7. Recit. and Aria—"O, 'tis a Glorious Sight" (Oberon) ... Weber
Mr. WALSHE.
8. Violin Solo—"Salterelle" ... Kowalski-Allpress
Mr. RIVERS ALLPRESS.
9. Trio—"Farewell to thee" (Mata Miti) ... Caron
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1. THE HURDLE RACE, to start at 1 p.m.
LUNCHEON.
2. THE FLYING HANDICAP, to start at 2 p.m.
3. THE PARK STAKES, to start at 2.40 p.m.
4. THE BANK HANDICAP, to start at 3.20 p.m.
5. THE DISPOSAL STAKES, to start at 3.55 p.m.
6. THE STEWARDS' MILE, to start at 4.30 p.m.
Professional trainers and jockeys can obtain paddock tickets by applying personally at the offices of the club before 4 p.m., TUESDAY, July 31st.
Special trains will leave Redfern for Ashfield station at 11.50 a.m. and 12.20 p.m., returning immediately after the races.
IMPORTANT NOTICE.
Conditions of Admission.
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No person will be allowed to loiter on the course proper at any time.
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Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.
RATEPAYERS are reminded that the Rates for the current year are now overdue, and steps are being taken to recover same.
THOS. GLASSOP, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, 25th July, 1888.

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.
NOTICE TO DEFAULTERS.
Notice is hereby given that all outstanding RATES must be paid AT ONCE, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken for recovery of same. Also for amounts due for emptying cesspits.
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T. D. GLASSCOCK, Council Clerk.
Council Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Glebe, 27th July, 1888.

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BAPTIST CHURCH, Newtown.—Grand Centennial Sale of GIFTS. Opening Day, THURSDAY, August 2.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.
In the Will of HENRY BONAVENTURE CURR, late of Subiaco, in the colony of New South Wales, Clerk in Holy Orders, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that the accounts of the Executor of the abovenamed deceased have THIS DAY been filed in the office of the Prothonotary of the Supreme Court, and all persons having any claim on the said estate are requested to come in before me, at my office in the Supreme Court-house, King-street, Sydney, on or before FRIDAY, the seventeenth day of August next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the said accounts, and, if they think fit, object thereto; and in the event of no objection being taken within the time above mentioned, the said accounts will be duly examined and proceeded with according to law.
Dated at Sydney this thirtieth day of July, A.D. 1888.
T. W. GARRETT, Ecclesiastical Clerk.
ROBERT H. LEVIEN, Proctor for the said executor, George-street, Parramatta; and Phillip-street, Sydney.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF HENRY JAMES NEWELL, of Camperdown, Grocer.
CLAIMS against this Estate should be rendered to the undersigned without delay.
BELL and HENDERSON, Accountants, 90, King-street.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JACKSON AND MORTON, CLOTHIERS, of George-street.
A THIRD and FINAL DIVIDEND, at the rate of 1s 9½d in the £ in the above Estate will be payable at the offices of the undersigned on and after TUESDAY, the 31st instant.
Promissory Notes must be surrendered.
SCOULLER and ROBERTSON, Accountants and Trade Assignees, Wynyard-street.
Sydney, 30th July, 1888.

TO THE CREDITORS of JAMES DRYNAN, Young.
Please send in Claims to Messrs. Petersen, Boesen, and Co., before 10th August, to enable the Trustees to declare first and final dividend.

TO BUILDERS.—All overdue ACCOUNTS remaining unpaid by the 15th of AUGUST will be placed in the hands of our solicitor for recovery. AUCKLAND TIMBER COMPANY, Limited.

SYDNEY CITY MISSION.—Received from E. Banks, Crown-street Public School, balance of Patriotic Fund, £17 3s.
GEO. CAMPBELL, Hon. Sec.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
This is to notify that Mr. J. R. FORD, of Sydney, who has been designating himself my agent, and offering certain properties for sale belonging to me, is doing so without my authority, as he has never been empowered by me to offer any of my estate, real or personal, for sale.
Sydney. EDWD. FLOOD.

AUSTRALIAN GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.
DIVIDEND.
A DIVIDEND at the rate of Seven and a-Half Per Cent. for the past half-year, will be payable at the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, on and after TUESDAY, 31st July, instant.
W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Company's Office, Sydney, 30th July, 1888.

NATIONAL SHIPWRECK RELIEF SOCIETY of N. S. W.
I have to acknowledge from the Purser, Mr. Smith, of the R.M.S. Mariposa, a sum of £14 6s 8d, collected on board of that steamship on the round voyage to San Francisco and back to Sydney.
A. T. WILSHIRE, Secretary.

THE MUTUAL PROVIDENT LAND, INVESTING, and BUILDING SOCIETY, Limited, 95, Market-street.
A DIVIDEND, at the rate of EIGHT per cent. per annum on the paid-up shares, will be payable at the office of the above Society on and after FRIDAY, August 3.
E. W. FOXALL, Manager.
July 28, 1888.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Established 1872.
SHAREHOLDERS will please take notice that the Half-yearly Interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum on the paid-up capital (in accordance with the Deed of Settlement), due 1st proximo, will be payable at the Society's offices, corner Pitt and King streets, Sydney, on and after the 2nd August.
WALTER CHURCH, Manager.
July 30, 1888.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.
NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.
Shareholders are hereby informed that an Interim DIVIDEND to July 31 will be PAYABLE at this office on and after THURSDAY NEXT, August 2.
S. H. LEWIS, Manager.
Post Office-chambers, 114, Pitt-street.

THE SUNNY CORNER SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
The THIRTEENTH DIVIDEND of 1s 6d per share will be PAYABLE to the Shareholders upon production of scrip, at the registered Office of the Company, No. 2, O'Connell-street, Sydney, on and after FRIDAY, 10th AUGUST, 1888.
The Transfer Books will be closed on Friday, the 3rd, and Saturday, 4th August, 1888.
By order of the Board.
FRANCIS W. KING, Secretary.
Sydney, July 30, 1888.

CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Head Office: 51, Castlereagh-street.
PUBLIC NOTICE.
WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, being a Bank and Insurance Holiday, THIS OFFICE will be CLOSED.
ROBERT KERR, Manager.

HERO FREEHOLD SILVER and GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, Queensland.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Register of the above company will be CLOSED from the 30th instant until after the general meeting on the 13th proximo.
S. L. LISTER, Secretary.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT B. BUILDING, LAND, and SAVINGS INSTITUTION.
Wednesday, 1st August, being a Holiday, Payments will be received on Thursday, from 10 to 5.
THOS. MILLER, Manager.

AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE COMPANY of SYDNEY, Limited.
The above EXCHANGE will be CLOSED on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st (Bank Holiday).
D. JONES, Secretary.

CITY AND COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.
WEDNESDAY, August 1st, being a Bank Holiday, the Offices of this Company will be CLOSED.
J. D. WARD, Manager.

MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Head Offices, 120, Pitt-street.
NOTICE.
WEDNESDAY, the 1st August, being a Bank holiday, the offices of this Company will be CLOSED.
KELSO KING, Secretary.
Sydney, 30th July, 1888.

THE SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 78, Elizabeth-street North.
TO-MORROW, 1st August, being a Bank Holiday, the Office of this Company will be CLOSED.
E. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.
July 31, 1888.

BUILDING SOCIETIES' AND INVESTMENT COMPANIES' ASSOCIATION.
The OFFICES of the Undermentioned ASSOCIATED SOCIETIES and COMPANIES will be CLOSED on WEDNESDAY, the 1st AUGUST, in compliance with the Bank Holidays Act of 1875:—
SYDNEY PERMANENT Freehold, Land, and Building Society, No. 333, Pitt-street. J. W. BIBBY, Secretary.
METROPOLITAN MUTUAL Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 65, Market-street. R. W. CONWAY, Manager.
HAYMARKET Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, 726, George-street. J. W. DUESBURY, Manager.
MUTUAL PROVIDENT Land, Investing, and Building Society, Limited, 95, Market-street. E. W. FOXALL, Manager.
CIVIL SERVICE Building Society, 184, Pitt-street. C. H. LYONS, Secretary.
LAND COMPANY of Australasia, Limited, 278, Pitt-street, GEORGE BAKER WALKER, General Manager.
ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN Investment, Finance and Land Company, Limited, Hunter-street. BENJAMIN JAMES, Manager.
NEW SOUTH WALES PROPERTY Investment Company, Limited, 4, Park-street. THOMAS HOLDERNESS, Manager.
SYDNEY AND PROVINCIAL Land and Building Company, Limited, 333, Pitt-street. WILLIAM DAVIES, Manager.
MERCANTILE Building Land and Investment Company, Limited, corner of Park and Castlereagh streets. EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, Manager.
NATIONAL Permanent Building and Investment Company, 250, Pitt-street. JAMES A. TODD, Manager.
SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association, Limited, 114, Pitt-street. SHARPE H. LEWIS, Manager.
CITY AND COUNTY Investment Land and Building Company, Limited, 327, Pitt-street. J. D. WARD, Manager.
INTERCOLONIAL Investment Land and Building Company, Limited, 86, Bathurst-street. W. J. DOUGLAS, Manager.
TOWN AND COUNTRY Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, Elizabeth and Bathurst streets. W. ROBSON, Manager.
E. W. FOXALL,
Secretary Building Societies and Investment Companies' Association.
30th July, 1888.

SYDNEY PERMANENT FREEHOLD LAND AND BUILDING SOCIETY, corner of Pitt and Bathurst streets.
BANK HOLIDAY.
The OFFICE of the above-named society will be CLOSED on WEDNESDAY, August 1.
J. W. BIBBY, Secretary.
333, Pitt-street.

THE BURWOOD LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.—NOTICE.—WEDNESDAY, August 1, being a Bank Holiday, this Office will be CLOSED.
266, Pitt-street. S. PATRICK, Manager.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.
PROPOSED OFFICERS' PROVIDENT FUND.
Concerning the recommendation of the Board to donate the sum of £25,000 (already reserved) to form the nucleus of this Fund, the Directors are anxious to remove some erroneous impressions which exist in the minds of the members, and to put them in possession of the actual facts of the situation. To this end the following statement is published:—
"The Board of Directors in office in 1885 initiated a pension system, and entered into specific contracts in connection therewith, which had no definiteness or finality regarding the amount which might, at some time or other, become a charge upon the Society's funds. The officers themselves contributed nothing whatever towards it. When the majority of the present Directors came into office they devoted their attention to the consideration of the question whether that pension scheme could be legally and honourably set aside. They were in possession of the opinions of the present Chief Justice, given when he was at the bar, and of Messrs. J. E. Salomons and C. B. Stephen. These gentlemen were unanimous in their opinion that the Society was legally committed to the scheme, and as such scheme had been forced upon the staff by their predecessors the Directors for the year 1887-8 came to the conclusion that they were honourably bound to bring about some such compromise as is set forth in the resolution now submitted to the members."
The recommendations of the Board are intended to meet a case charged with difficulties, and the opinion prevails among the Directors that the Society is bound in honour to meet the staff half-way, and hence their proposals.
The rejection of the Board's proposal will necessitate the adoption of Mr. M'Elhone's amendment, no middle course being now possible. This amendment directs the Society to enter on a course of litigation, which would in all probability be protracted throughout many months, involving an appeal to the Privy Council, entailing on the Society large expenditure, and interposing many obstacles to the quiet pursuit of its business.
For and on behalf of the Board.
J. P. ABBOTT, Chairman.
Sydney, 24th July, 1888.

I REGRET taking Action against A. T. Sims, as the difference between us is settled amicably. E. H. M'Crae.

FRANK GRIMLEY, Wholesale Saddler, Saddlers' Ironmonger, REMOVED to 263, Clarence-st., near Town Hall.

IF Mr. SYDNEY HICKS does not call for his Boxes, left at Mrs. Downey's, 45, College-street, Balmain, within 14 days, they will be sold to defray expenses.

IF ERNEST COONEY, Builder, does not proceed with his Contract within 48 hours, I shall have it done at his risk, per agreement.
EDWARD J. GREENAWAY, Neutral Bay.

LADIES desirous of sending exhibits in Horticulture and Floriculture at forthcoming Exhibition, please apply to Mrs. W. CORMACK, Zulu House, Paddington-street, Paddington.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP SALE at
THE ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY.
Read advertisement page 5.
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DR. WARNER'S FAMILY PILLS are valuable to Females from 14 to 50.
Sold in all parts of the world by medicine-dealers, in boxes, at 1s, 2s, and 4s each. Sent by post, for postage stamps to the above value, by SOUL and CO., Pitt-street, Sydney, or any other live medicine dealer in the world.

MARSHALL'S "Fruit Pectorine" is a soothing, healing, balsamic, demulcent, Pectoral Fruit Syrup, with the delicate aroma of the fruit fully preserved, and possessing remarkable curative effect over coughs and colds. Price 2s 6d. Prepared only by MARSHALL BROTHERS, Chemists, 410, George-street, and 106, Market-street, Sydney.

DR. DELABARRE'S GOUT AND RHEUMATIC DROPS, for the cure of Gout, Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout, Lumbago, Sciatica, &c., are an immense success.
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ONE BOX of CLARKE'S B 41 PILLS is warranted to cure all ailments of the urinary organs in either sex (acquired or constitutional), gravel, and pains in the back. Sold in boxes, 4s 6d each, by all chemists and patent medicine vendors. Sole proprietors, the Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln, England.

FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, Influenza, Consumption, &c.
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COAGULINE.—Cement for Broken Articles, sold everywhere. Sole Makers,
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CHILBLAINS.—TAMUS COMMUNIS gives instant relief. FISHER and CO., Pharmacists, 19, Hunter-street.

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Government Notices.

SLEEPING CARS ON WESTERN LINE.
NOTICE is hereby given that SLEEPING CARS will NOT be attached to the Down Western Mail Train leaving Sydney on Tuesday, the 31st July; nor to the Up Mail Trains leaving Bourke and Dubbo on Tuesday and Wednesday, 31st July and 1st August, 1888.
(Signed) CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 25th July, 1888.

Department of Railways, Sydney, July 28th, 1888.
CANTERBURY PARK RACES.
WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, 1888.
On the above date Special Trains will leave Sydney for Ashfield at 12.20 p.m., returning after the Races.
The 5 p.m. Western and 5.17 p.m. Southern Passenger Trains will stop at Ashfield to pick up passengers if required.
CH. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, July 25, 1888.
GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 11 a.m. on the dates mentioned hereunder for the public works, &c., specified in the following schedule:—

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates for Receipt of Tenders.
The construction of Abutments and Piers, and Erection of Superstructure of Bridge, and Removal of existing Bridge over Black Creek, G. N. Railway. Particulars Engineer for Existing Railways, 44, Phillip-street, Sydney. The Construction and Erection complete of Alterations and Additions to Passenger Station, Redfern. Particulars Engineer for Existing Railways, 44, Phillip-street.	Wednesday, 15th August.

NOTE.—For further particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 23rd July, 1888.
TENDERS FOR RABBIT-PROOF FENCING.
TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 28th day of August, 1888, from persons willing to contract for the Erection of about 2 miles 20 chains of Fencing of posts and 3 wires, Straining and Altering about 19 miles 40 chains of existing Fences, and Attaching Wire Netting to about 21 miles 60 chains of Fencing—between a point on the boundary-line dividing the colonies of New South Wales and South Australia, about 20 chains north of a mile-post marked "66" and a point on the said boundary-line near the 88th mile post.
Specifications and forms of tender may be obtained at the Inquiry branch of this Department, and upon application to the Crown Lands Agents at Wentworth and Wilcannia; the Mining Registrar, Broken Hill; Messrs. George Ferguson and Co., Unity-chambers, Currie-street, Adelaide; and Messrs. S. Drew and Co., Kooringa, S. A.
The lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Lands, and endorsed "Tender for Rabbit-proof Fencing, Section 3."
HENRY PARKES.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 23rd July, 1888.
TENDERS FOR RABBIT-PROOF FENCING.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 28th day of August, 1888, from persons willing to Contract for the Erection of two gates, 12 chains post and rail fencing, 7 miles fencing of posts and 2 wires, altering and repairing about 36 miles of existing fences, and attaching wire-netting to about 43 miles fencing, between a point on the boundary line dividing the colonies of New South Wales and South Australia, near a mile-post marked "88" and the 131st mile-post on the said boundary line.
Specifications and forms of tender may be obtained at the Inquiry Branch of this Department, and upon application to the Crown Lands Agents at Wentworth and Wilcannia; Messrs. George Ferguson and Co., Unity-chambers, Currie-street, Adelaide; the Mining Registrar, Broken Hill; and Messrs. S. Drew and Co., Kooringa, S. A.
The lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Lands, and endorsed "Tender for Rabbit-proof Fencing, Section 4."
HENRY PARKES.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 23rd July, 1888.
TENDERS FOR RABBIT-PROOF FENCING.
TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 28th day of August, 1888, from persons willing to Contract for the erection of two gates, 12 chains post and rail fencing, repairing and altering about 26 miles 40 chains of existing fences, and attaching wire netting to about 48 miles 60 chains fencing,—between a point on the boundary line dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and South Australia about 20 chains north of a mile post marked "154" and the 183rd-mile post on the said line.
Specifications and forms of Tender may be obtained at the Inquiry Branch of this Department, and upon application to the Crown Lands Agents at Wentworth and Wilcannia; the Mining Registrar, Broken Hill; Messrs. GEORGE FERGUSON and CO., Unity-chambers, Currie-street, Adelaide; and Messrs. S. DREW and CO., Kooringa, S.A.
The lowest Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Lands, and endorsed "Tender for Rabbit-proof Fencing, Section 5."
HENRY PARKES.

Department of Lands, Sydney, July, 1888.
ROADS.
The attention of all persons interested is invited to the Government Gazette of the 24th instant, in which appears a notification with respect to preliminary notification of streets in the Municipalities of Strathfield, Paddington, and Concord.
CHARLES OLIVER, Under Secretary.
Note.—Copies of the Government Gazette can be inspected at the Crown Land Office and the Police Office of the district.

Department of Public Works, Harbours and Rivers Branch, Sydney, 18th July, 1888.
TO ENGINEERS AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to THURSDAY, 2nd August, for the Purchase of one Launch Engine, cylinder 5in. dia., one Tubular Boiler, 3ft. dia.; one G. M. Propeller and shafting, and a small quantity of Copper and Lead Piping, &c.
For further particulars apply to Superintendent Fitzroy Dock.
For E. O. MORIARTY, ROBT. HICKSON.

Public Works Department, Roads Branch.
TENDERS are invited up to noon on the 8th August, 1888, for CLEARING and FORMING APPROACHES to Bridge over Toongabbie Creek, at Hammer's.
Specification at Court-house, Parramatta, where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
TENDERS will be received at this office up to 3 p.m. on TUESDAY, 7th August next, for undermentioned works:—
Construction of Lawson-street, 12 chains.
Construction of Virgil-street, 7 chains.
Construction of Hall-street, 20 chains.
Plans and specifications may be inspected during office hours on application.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
ROBERT T. ORR, Council Clerk.
Borough Council-chambers, Waverley, July 28, 1888.

BOROUGH OF HUNTER'S HILL.
TENDERS are invited for the Supply of 500 Cubic Yards (more or less) of Road Metal (blue or white).
Construction of a Wharf at Drummoyne-street.
Specifications and plan may be seen at the Council-chambers from 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. daily, except Saturday.
Tenders receivable up to FRIDAY, 3rd August next.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
TENDERS will be received up till TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST, for Forming, Ballasting, and Blinding Quarry-street.
Specifications can be seen on application to the undersigned.
GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, 27th July, 1888.

[No. 88-60.] Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 31st July, 1888.
LEASE OF BATHS AT POINT-STREET.
TENDER will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 14th day of August, for a Lease of the Baths, Point-street, Pyrmont.
Specification, conditions, and full particulars as to time, to be obtained at the above Office.
HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT.
TENDERS FOR VENETIAN BLINDS.
TENDERS will be received up to 4 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, the 2nd August, for the supply of Venetian Blinds for the new Town Hall.
Specifications and other particulars may be had from the Clerk of Works at the Town Hall Building.
Tenders to be addressed to the Mayor, and marked, "Tender for Venetian Blinds."
ALLAN M'GUIRE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Leichhardt, July 28, 1888.

MOUNT COSTIGAN LEAD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are invited for the Sinking of a main Shaft on the above Company's Mine to a depth of 100ft. Size of shaft to be 11ft. 6in. x 4ft.
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to August 3rd.
(Signed) A. A. GALLAGHER, Manager. Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SILVERTON TRAMWAY COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are invited for the Right of Advertising at the Company's Stations, Broken Hill and Silverton.
Particulars can be obtained from the Traffic Manager, at Broken Hill; or from the Secretary, 112, Collins-street, West Melbourne.
Tenders, addressed to the Secretary, to be sent in not later than THURSDAY, August 16.
W. MACNICOL, Secretary.
112, Collins-street West, Melbourne, July 26, 1888.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited till THURSDAY, the 2nd August, for the Erection of a Villa Residence in Broughton-road, Homebush, for the Rev. Canon King, M.A. Plans and all further information may be had at our offices.
ELLIS and SLATTER, Architects.
Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Cottage at Five Dock. Apply H. A. WILSHIRE, Fitz-Evan-chambers, 50, Castlereagh-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of VILLA RESIDENCE at DOUBLE BAY.
THE WORKS may be tendered for separately, as under, viz.:—
1st. Excavation, Drainage, Masonry, and Brickwork.
2nd. Carpenters and Joiners' Work and all Finishing Trades
3rd. The whole in one sum.
PLANS and SPECIFICATION may be seen at the Office of the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, at 12 o'clock noon.
SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Architects, City-chambers, 243, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for Additions and Alterations to IMPERIAL HOTEL, Wynyard-square.
Apply for plans and specifications to the undersigned, to whom sealed tenders must be delivered on or before Wednesday, 8th August. J. J. DAVEY, Architect, &c., 177, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited until the 8th August for the Erection of 2 Houses and Shop in Darling-street, Balmain. Plans, &c., at my temporary office, Royal Foresters' Hall, near Bathurst-street.
W. MAISEY, Architect.

TENDERS are invited for the Lease of Factory, with engine, boiler, saw benches, band saws, &c., front show room, shop, and dwelling-house, of R. Taylor and Son's Saddle Factory, Abercrombie-street, Golden Grove. Address R. TAYLOR, Garfield, Coogee Bay.
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Plans and specification may be seen on application to Messrs. PITT, SON, and BADGERY, 312, George-street.

TENDERS invited to SATURDAY, 4th August, for Erection of House, Brighton-street, Petersham Railway Station. Plans and specifications, and full particulars at the Architect's offices, 72, Pitt-street. FERDINAND REUSS, Jun.

TENDERS for Excavating Basement of Store, corner of Clarence and King streets. CALDER BROTHERS, Contractors, Gurner-street, Paddington.

TENDERS.—Wanted, Plasterers, for the Plastering of 3 Cottages. Apply on the works to Mr. HILLIER, Dobroyd Estate, Summer Hill.

TENDERS.—Wanted, Slaters, for the Slating of 3 Cottages. Apply on the works to Mr. HILLIER, Dobroyd Estate, Summer Hill.

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TENDERS wanted, Painting and Colouring, &c. 4, Mount View-terrace, Railway-place, 9 a.m.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT—Monday, July 30.

Chamber Business.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Foster.)

IN RE MARY E. M'LERIE.

Mr. Coffey, instructed by Messrs. Bradley and Son, appeared for the applicant; and Mr. Pilcher, instructed by Messrs. Lawrence and Rich, for the defendant. This was a matter of the restoration of Florence E. M'Lerie, aged 10 years, from Emily S. J. Blackwell, her mother, to Mary E. M'Lerie, the girl's aunt. From the affidavits read to the Court, it appeared that the girl, whose father is not living, had been left in the custody of Mary E. M'Lerie through the defendant leaving the colony in 1884 with a man named Blackwell, to whom she was since married. It was alleged that she had forfeited all rights to the child through her conduct, and a charge was also made in the affidavits against her present husband in order to sustain the application. The particulars in the document set forth that the defendant recently returned to the colony by the P. and O. Co.'s Arcadia (s.), after which she met applicant going to St. Matthew's Church, and took possession of her daughter, the subject of the action. Affidavits were read on the other side from the defendant's mother and father, sister, and also the captain and purser of the Arcadia in the direction of showing that the defendant was a fit and proper person to have the custody of her child, and Mr. Pilcher urged that Mrs. Blackwell was absolutely entitled to have her daughter unless it could be shown that she was an immoral person or a person to whose custody the court should not commit the child.

The application was refused with costs.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—Monday, July 30.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

William Dean, of Broken Hill, engine-driver. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

Charles Joseph Dwight, residing at Hillston, working as a wheelwright. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Stephen.)

Mr. Coffey prosecuted on behalf of the Crown.

JURORS FINED.

Henry Ernest Thom and Edward Gee, who were summoned to attend as jurors, were fined each in the customary amount for non-attendance.

JUVENILE STABBING CASE.

Walter Spragg, a lad 12 years of age, was arraigned upon an indictment charging him with feloniously slaying one George Crompton, a companion of his, on the 16th of May last. Mr. D. Buchanan, instructed by Mr. Burton Bradley, appeared for the defence. The circumstances of the case, as detailed in evidence, were that on the afternoon of Thursday, May 16, the defendant was in the company of several of his schoolfellows, when a quarrel arose between one of their number named Crompton and himself. Crompton struck Spragg, and the latter, who had in his hand a knife, then threatened to stab his assailant if he again struck him. It was alleged that a number of the other boys pushed Crompton towards the prisoner, and coming in contact with the knife he received a wound, from the effects of which he died the same evening. His Honor in summing up stated to the jury that if the accused struck the blow intentionally, even although he did not mean to do any harm, he would be guilty of manslaughter; but if they found that the blow was inflicted accidentally they must acquit the prisoner. The jury retired, and remained locked up for a considerable time, but shortly after 4 o'clock they returned to court with a verdict of "not guilty," and the prisoner was discharged, after being admonished by his Honor to be more careful in the future in handling such weapons as had caused the deed.

FALSE STATEMENT.

Thomas Joseph Nugent was indicted on a charge of having on the 2nd June, 1884, at St. Leonards, wilfully made a false statement respecting his marriage, for the purpose of securing the registration of the birth of a child. Prisoner, who was undefended, entered a plea of "not guilty." Evidence was given which went to prove that the prisoner falsely stated to the registrar for births, deaths, and marriages, at St. Leonards, that he was married to the mother of the child that he wished to register in September, 1878, at St. Mary's Church, Sydney. It was afterwards shown that the accused was not married until 1886, and then not to the mother of the child. The jury, after a short deliberation, brought in a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in Darlinghurst gaol. His Honor intimated that at the end of 12 months, if he produced a record of good character, leave would be given him to petition for a remission of his sentence.

CHARGE OF CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

John Morris, a young man, was indicted on a charge of criminally assaulting Mary Mulholland, on the 23rd of July. Prisoner, who was defended by Mr. Cockshott, pleaded not guilty. After hearing the evidence in the case, together with his Honor's summing up, the jury without leaving the box acquitted the prisoner of the charge.

The following cases are set down for hearing to-day:—George Hosking, arson; Richard Cody, jun., assault occasioning actual bodily harm.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Tuesday, July 31.

Prothonotary's Office. Before the Chief Clerk: Purcell v. Martin, 10.30; Rawlinson and another v. Williams, 10.45; same v. same, 10.45; Horff and others v. Adrain, 10.30; Ostermeyer, Levey, and Co., v. Simpson, 11.

POLICE.

The Central Police Court was presided over yesterday by Mr. C. Delohery, D.S.M. Hugh Cameron, 29, cook, charged with maliciously damaging a window, value £5, the property of David Davies, was ordered to pay a fine of £5, in default two months. Maggie Macdonald, 20, was fined 20s., and £4 costs, for damaging a window, the property of Peter Belfield. Kate Bowes, 34, was fined 40s. for obscene language; Michael Ryan, 27, carter, was fined 20s. or seven days, for riotous behaviour in George-street; Robert Russel, 30, labourer, Emily Poulson, 19, and Mary Smith, 40, were each fined 20s. for using obscene language; Henry Wellington Robinson, 31, painter, was committed for trial at the next quarter sessions on a charge of stealing the sum of £31 10s., the property of Andrew Dunbar, at Penrith, on the 28th of July; Frank Pattison, 18, carter, was fined 20s. for riotous behaviour; and a similar amount was recorded against Thomas Flynn, 22, dealer, George Wilson, 19, dealer, and Jane Boyd, 30, for using obscene language.

Mr. A. M. Fisher, D.S.M., dealt with the business in the Charge Division at the Water Police Court. Andrew Gomas, 30, cook, was fined 10s., with the option of seven days' gaol, for offending against decency in Argyle-street. Mary Dillon, 36, for using indecent language in Cumberland-street, was awarded a fine of £3, failing payment, to be imprisoned for two months, with hard labour. On a further charge of committing an aggravated assault upon a boy named Thomas Mitchell, by striking him on the leg with a glass bottle, which inflicted an ugly wound, she was involved in a cumulative penalty of 14 days' imprisonment, with hard labour. Martin Johnston, 26, and William Kent, 32, seamen, were each fined 10s., in default three days' gaol, for having behaved in a riotous manner in Harrington-street. Peter Maher, 28, shoemaker, convicted of a similar offence committed in Marshall-street, was sent to gaol for seven days. Sydney Smith, 19, striker, and Walter Day, 18, butcher, were convicted of behaving in a riotous manner in Sarah-street, and were fined, the former to the extent of 20s., with the alternative of 14 days' imprisonment, and the latter in the amount of 10s., or seven days in gaol. Patrick Doyle, 32, dealer, for using indecent language within the hearing of persons passing in Phelps-street, was ordered to pay a fine of £5, or submit to three months' imprisonment. Charles Browne, 65, on being convicted of soliciting alms, in Boomerang-road, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labour. John Ambrose Murray, 42, an habitual drunkard, found behaving in a riotous manner in Oxford-street, was sent to gaol for two months. Sarah Manning, 38, for being drunk and disorderly in Oxford-street, was fined 40s., with the option of seven days' imprisonment; and for wilfully damaging a police uniform cape, valued at 30s., the property of the Government, she was fined 20s. and was ordered to pay for the damage done or submit to 21 days' incarceration. Arthur Randle, 20, and Charles Randle, 24, were brought up on several charges. From the evidence given it appeared that on Saturday afternoon last the accused Arthur Randle was being arrested, near Oxford-street, by virtue of a warrant issued against him for having been drunk and disorderly in Pelican-street, when he assaulted the apprehending constable. For the first offence he was fined 40s., in default seven days' gaol, and for the latter he was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. He was further charged with having, in company with Charles Randle, unlawfully assaulted Constable Brown, whilst in the execution of his duty, by kicking him about the body. Both prisoners pleaded guilty to the charge, and were sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour. Charles Randle was mulcted in the additional penalty of £5, or three months in gaol, for having used obscene language in Oxford-street. When leaving the dock, and on the way to the cells, the last-named prisoner became very violent, and made use of some strong expressions towards the police. He was again placed in the dock on a charge of using obscene language, which was sworn to by a couple of constables. He was fined £5, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment. Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., dealt with the business in the Summons Court. Josephine Johnston proceeded against James Sylvanus Whitworth for assault. His Worship found the accused guilty, and fined him 40s. and costs; in default, two months' imprisonment.

Messrs. H. Byrnes and S. Goold, Js.P., disposed of the business at the Parramatta Police Court yesterday. Thomas M'Craw was fined 5s., or 24 hours, for being drunk. John Fitzgerald was fined 20s., or seven days, for being drunk and disorderly. George Wilkinson was fined 20s. for riotous behaviour, and 20s. or seven days, for using obscene language. Mary White, charged with using obscene language, was fined 40s., or 14 days in gaol. John Violett, summoned to answer a similar charge, did not appear, and an order was made that a warrant should issue.

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METROPOLITAN LAND BOARD.

A meeting of the Metropolitan Land Board was held in the rooms of the Engineering Association, O'Connell-street, yesterday. Present—Mr. T. W. Harriott and Mr. H. Eagar. The board took evidence in several cases, and will forward reports thereon to the Minister.

In the case of William Harris, a conditional purchase application for 380 acres under section 42 of the Act, Mr. Barbour, M.L.A., represented the applicant. The board decided to disallow the application, the land not being available. Mr. Barbour gave notice of appeal.

Mr. J. F. Fitzhardinge appeared on behalf of William Penny, executor in the estate of the late John Carr, who made an application under section 9 of the Act of 1861, for the special purchase of 12½ perches of land, having a frontage of 53ft. 5in. to Lavender Bay. The application had been referred to the board for report as to the value of the land. Mr. Fitzhardinge stated that Mr. Penny was absent from the colony; but he would like to know the views of the Government regarding the value. The chairman said an officer appointed by the Government made an award of £25 on the 16th May, 1882. Mr. Fitzhardinge informed the board that he was prepared to adopt the former valuation. Mr. J. W. Deering, Metropolitan District Surveyor, gave evidence to the effect that he knew the 12½ perches applied for by Penny; he considered that the award of £25 was not an adequate money consideration for the area sought to be purchased; he had made a computation in accordance with the terms of the present Act, and valued the land sought to be purchased, at £144 10s., that price being in favour of the applicant. Mr. Fitzhardinge also gave evidence. He thought £25 was probably a reasonable valuation when made; £50 would be an extreme value now for the land when reclaimed. In response to a request made by Mr. Fitzhardinge, the further consideration of the application was adjourned to a date to be named by the chairman.

The application of Walter M'Farlane Ford for the special purchase of 5½ perches of land with a frontage of 20ft. 11in. to Berry's Bay was next considered. The land was originally valued at £5. Mr. Deering deposed that he had appraised the land in question, and valued it at £27 10s.; the land was already reclaimed. The applicant said he considered £9 or £10 to be a fair value for the increased area gained by the reclamation. Mr. Fitzhardinge asked for an adjournment, which was granted.

The application of S. J. Bull, for the special purchase of 10 perches of land at Drummoyne, having a frontage of about 50 feet to the Parramatta River, was next considered. The applicant said he had paid over £100 for reclamation, and did not consider he ought to be called upon to pay anything to the Government, as the reclamation did not extend to the low water mark. He was about to apply for a reclamation to the extended line; this line had been altered more than once. Mr. Deering said the value of the area sought to be purchased was £18 15s., but he would like to draw the attention of the board to the fact that the limit line had been amended by the Harbours and Rivers Department, and therefore he would suggest that this application be considered in connection with the further reclamation which could now be sanctioned; "otherwise," he added, "applicants have to pay more than once for their frontages."

The application of A. W. Cormack for a special lease for the construction of a jetty on piles at Long Nose Point was next considered. Mr. Deering said there was no objection to the granting of the lease. He recommended that the area of the jetty be 24ft. by 14ft., the terms of the lease to be for five years, at an annual rental of £10. The board decided to recommend that the lease be granted in accordance with these terms.

The application of T. Saywell (per J. Alger) for a special lease for the construction and extension of two jetties at Darling Harbour was then dealt with. Mr. Deering said a portion of the land applied for would extend about 130ft. beyond the limit line, with a width of 60ft.; he thought the extension applied for was excessive; the jetty should not extend more than about 80ft. beyond the limit-line; that would bring the line within the same contour as the extension of the limit-line permitted to Dalton's, which is the adjoining wharf on the western side; Dalton's lease was granted at £120 per annum for a term of 15 years; he recommended that Saywell be granted a lease for the two jetties for 5 years at a rental of £120 per annum. It was stated that the estimated cost of excavating the rock in order to obtain the required depth (24ft.) of water and erecting the jetties was over £12,000. The board decided to recommend that the application be granted in accordance with the terms mentioned by Mr. Deering.

John Blue applied for the renewal of a lease for a jetty standing upon land situate in Berry's Bay. Mr. Deering recommended that a renewal of the lease be granted to the applicant for a term of five years, at the rate of £10 per annum. Applicant said he let the wharf to Mr. T. A. Dibbs for £5 per year. The case was adjourned until to-day.

Mr. Pitt (on behalf of the Municipal Council of Manly) applied for a special lease of certain land for the erection of a jetty at Manly Cove. The board will announce its decision in this matter to-day or to-morrow.

The matter of the proposed alteration in the design of the town of St. Leonards was then considered. The proposal to open up Bellevue-street, southward to Ernest-street, and to close up portion of Walker-street north of Ernest-street, had been forwarded to the board by the Minister for Lands to hear certain objections to the scheme and report thereon. Mr. Cope appeared on behalf of the objectors. Captain B. Jenkins, Mayor of St. Leonards, examined by Mr. Cope, said he knew of the proclamation of the 23rd December last for the alteration of the design of the township; certain ratepayers requested the council to have Bellevue-street cut through; the council did not act under any petition; he believed that the extension of the one street and the closing of the other would be greatly to the public interest; he wanted the street cut through irrespective of what the Government might do with that portion of Walker-street which might be closed; Mr. M'Mahon, the late Mr. Aitchison, and Mr. Massey were amongst the ratepayers who asked for the extension. Mr. A. Armstrong was next called. He said he was an alderman of the borough up to February last; the question of opening up this street had been a "bone of contention" in the council for the past 12 years, people interested in the land wishing it opened, and the general public objecting thereto; when witness was Mayor, in 1884-5, he submitted a minute dealing with this subject for the consideration of the council, and it was then decided that it was advisable to ask the Crown to dedicate the land for municipal purposes; he went out of the office of Mayor before further action was taken; he subsequently attended the meetings of the council regularly; the previous resolutions of the municipal body, with regard to the dedication of the land, were not set aside; on seeing the proclamation in the *Gazette* he moved for a return of all papers in connection with the matter; upon that being done the works committee (including some aldermen who owned blocks of land adjoining the proposed new street, the value of which would be increased tenfold by its formation) recommended to the council that the request forwarded by the Mayor for the opening of Bellevue-street should be adopted; this report or recommendation of the works committee was carried merely by the casting vote of the then Mayor; the present objections to the proposal were the outcome of the action of the Mayor.

At this stage the Board adjourned until 10.30 a.m. to-day.

CORONERS' INQUESTS.

A FATAL FALL.

An inquest was held at the Coroner's Court, Chancery-square, yesterday afternoon, before the City Coroner (Mr. H. Shiell), respecting the death of a man named Francis Johnston, who died in the Sydney Hospital on Sunday, consequent upon injuries received on the 27th instant. It appeared from the evidence that the deceased was 38 years of age, a native of New South Wales, and a single man, of temperate habits, by trade a quarryman, and on the 27th was following his occupation at a quarry situated at the corner of Cascade-street and Glenmore-road, Paddington; and Peter Parkins, who was engaged at the same quarry at the time of the accident, stated that on Friday last about 4.30 p.m. he was working with the deceased; Johnston was engaged in prising a piece of stone on the face of the quarry with a crowbar; the stone fell, and in its descent struck the end of the crowbar, causing deceased to spin round; he made a grasp at the face of the quarry, but failed in the attempt, lost his balance, and fell on some loose rocks below, a distance of 20ft.; he was picked up insensible, and a cab was procured and the deceased taken to the Sydney Hospital. Dr. Gwynne-Hughes, resident medical officer of the Sydney Hospital, said that on the 27th instant, about 4.30 p.m., the deceased was taken to the institution, and, seeing the man was seriously injured, immediately admitted him; he was suffering from a lacerated wound of the scalp, contusions of the right clavicle, and extensive contusions on right side and back; several of the right ribs were broken; there were also severe internal injuries; he died about 1.15 p.m., Sunday, from the injuries received; death was due to shock from the severe internal injuries; deceased had told witness that he fell quite accidentally. The jury returned a verdict to the effect that deceased died from injuries accidentally received.

Mr. J. E. Bowden, the Parramatta District Coroner, held an inquest yesterday, at Potts' Hill, between Bankstown and Rookwood, on the body of an old man named Ellis Roberts, who was found dead in his bed on Saturday night last. From the evidence of Edward Warren and James Syme, both employed by deceased, it appeared that the deceased, who had a couple of horses and carts employed at Potts Hill, drawing wood, lived in a tent with the two men, whom he employed to work his carts. On Saturday morning the deceased felt unwell, and went to bed, where he remained all day, vomiting at intervals. In the afternoon, however, he got better, and refused to allow a medical man to be sent for. Warren got up at about 12.15 on Saturday night, and found the deceased quite dead. He then woke up Syme and a boy and gave information to the police. Dr. Phillips deposed to making a post-mortem on deceased, and to finding the feet dropsical, the kidneys affected, and a cancer in the stomach in the neighbouring glands. This was the cause of death, and had medical aid been called it would have been of no avail. The jury returned a verdict in accordance with medical testimony.

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MEETINGS.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

An adjourned meeting of the Senate was held yesterday at the rooms of the Royal Society. There were present:—The Chancellor (the Hon. Sir William M. Manning), the Vice-Chancellor (Dr. MacLaurin), Mr. District Court Judge Backhouse, Mr. Thomas Butler, Professor Gurney, Dr. P. Sydney Jones, Professor Liversidge, the Hon. William Macleay, the Hon. Dr. Renwick, Mr. H. C. Russell, Professor Scott, Mr. C. B. Stephen, Professor Stephens, and Professor Stuart.

A report was received from the committee appointed to report upon the whole system of evening lectures. The Vice-Chancellor moved and Mr. Macleay seconded "That the report be adopted." Professor Gurney moved as an amendment "That the consideration of the report be postponed until after the next annual examinations." The amendment was seconded by Professor Scott, and upon being put to the meeting was carried.

Professor Stephens then moved the following resolutions, of which he had given notice:—"1. That it is desirable to modify and extend the provisions of bylaw 8 of chapter 11, so as to induce and encourage a large attendance of students desiring to pursue particular lines of study or research without proceeding to a degree. 2. That, in order to unite such special students under the influence of university principles, traditions, and discipline, they should be formally entered as members of the University, and that no person should be admitted as a student to the lectures, laboratories, or museums without such matriculation. 3. That any person being not less than 17 years of age, and of good reputation, and sufficient capacity, may apply at any time to be matriculated for this purpose of independent cultivation of any special branch or branches of study, and upon presentation of satisfactory certificates, and the payment of such matriculation fee as the Senate shall determine, may be forthwith admitted to matriculation. 4. That the term undergraduate could not with propriety be applied to students who had no intention of graduating, and that their names should therefore be placed under a distinct title in the Calendar lists as special students of such and such years' standing. 5. That it shall be open to any such special student to compete for honours or pass in the regular examination upon his subject, and to have his name published and recorded in the regular class lists (with or without distinguishing marks), but that he shall be incapable of holding any scholarship, or receiving any prize of those now already established for students proceeding to a degree. 6. That such special students shall be entitled to receive certificates of attendance upon the lectures or laboratory practice in the subjects which they have selected, and of proficiency therein as ascertained by the regular and ordinary examinations within the University. 7. That any special student who shall have attended not less than one year's course in his selected study, and passed the regular examination therein to the satisfaction of the examiners, shall be entitled to apply for permission to commence at the beginning of the next academical year the full course in any faculty with a view to graduation, and that every such application shall be considered by the Senate and dealt with upon its merits."

After some discussion, it was resolved, upon the motion of Professor Gurney,—"That the proposals be referred to the Professorial Board for report."

The Chancellor then moved the following resolutions, of which he had given notice:—"1. That all future appointments of professors, lecturers, and other University teachers shall be made on the assignment of fixed or graduated salaries to be determined by the Senate, and without any participation in lecture fees as heretofore, and that all such fees shall, together with the fees and portion of fees now retained by the University, be devoted to the cost of general university administration and charges, and towards self-support in the case of all professional schools or colleges within or affiliated to the University. 2. That, in view of the principle of self-support in the case of each professional school or college, separate accounts shall be kept of the salaries and other expenditure specially appertaining to them respectively, and such accounts shall be debited with reasonable proportions of the cost of general administration and charges, and also with a reasonable proportion of the cost of branches of teaching in which the students in such professional schools or colleges participate in common with non-professional schools; and the amount of lecture fees and other fees received on account of such schools or colleges shall be placed to the credit of such accounts respectively, in proportions to be from time to time determined by the Senate."

The resolutions were discussed at great length, and it was ultimately decided that they should stand over for further consideration at the first meeting in September.

The motion of which the Chancellor had given notice, in reference to the disposal of a certain portion of the Fisher Bequest, was postponed for consideration at the next meeting.

Professor Liversidge gave notice of the following motion:—"That the fresh plans for the chemistry, mineralogy, and metallurgy laboratories and lecture rooms for the site selected by the committee be approved; and (2) that the Colonial Architect be authorised to call for tenders for the same."

STATE CHILDREN'S RELIEF BOARD.

The monthly meeting of the State Children's Relief Board was held at the Central Homes, Paddington, yesterday afternoon. Present: The president (Hon. Arthur Renwick, M.L.C.), Mrs. Garran, Lady Allen, Mrs. Goodlet, Mrs. Jefferis, Lady Manning. The usual statistical tables showed that there were now 2039 children under the control of the board, distributed as follows:—1198 paid for as boarders, 555 apprenticed, 124 adopted, 105 in cottage homes, and the remainder at ordinary service. Twenty-eight children had been boarded out during the month, and 14 returned to parents. At the date of the previous meeting there were 7 children in the depot, 77 had since been admitted, and 77 discharged, and there were yesterday 7 inmates. Accounts amounting to £438 19s. 7d. were passed for payment. The following new lady visitors were appointed:—Mrs. A. K. Josephson, Tumut; Mrs. Brennan, Cambewarra; Mrs. Francis Guy, Ultimo; Mrs. Thomas, Auburn; Miss Willis, Manly. A large number of applications from parents for the restoration of children were dealt with. It was directed that 30 children should be discharged from State control, but several applications were refused on the ground of the unfitness of the parents. In one case the applicant had six children; the police reported that they were all believed to be guilty of dishonesty with the consent of their father and mother, and that all had been either convicted of or charged with stealing. In this case the board refused to give up a boy. Mr. Sydney Maxted, chief inspector and boarding-out officer, presented his report for July, containing a history of the work of the department in that period, and submitting a good deal of formal business for consideration. This was disposed of, and the meeting terminated.

On Thursday evening last a meeting was held in the parochial schoolroom, Croydon, under the presidency of the Rev. S. Fox, incumbent of the parish, for the purpose of forming an auxiliary to the Church Society. The Rev. Charles Baber, R.D., and the organising secretary attended as a deputation from the parent society, and delivered addresses; following which, on the motion of Mr. W. R. Beaver, seconded by Mr. Bibb, it was unanimously agreed to form an auxiliary. On the motion of Mr. Hulme, officers and collectors were appointed for the ensuing year, and the incumbent closed the meeting by pronouncing the benediction.

THE NEW MARINE BOARD REGULATIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Observing in a special paragraph in your to-day's issue an allusion to the above, it would appear evident that the subject must be of very great public importance. Some while back—17th January, 1887, and previously—I suggested through your columns that all harbour passenger steamers should be provided with appliances to prevent their sinking in the event of collision. Since that the Marine Board has framed and passed regulations—now law—requiring that all such vessels, before getting certificates, should be so provided; but to the astonishment of all passengers by ferry steamers, it is notified in your issue above alluded to that 1. The Colonial Treasurer is understood to have made inquiries into certain representations made to him by interested individuals, and also by "some" of the travelling public, and that from their point of view it is likely Mr. Burns will submit to the Executive the propriety of breaking the law. 2. That the Colonial Treasurer has grave doubts as to the powers of the Marine Board to make such regulations. With regard to all the public interviews with the Treasurer, as reported by the Press, as far as I can glean of the "leading passenger steamboat owners" were Messrs. Jeanneret, M.L.A., and Mr. James Halstead, who quaintly told the Treasurer that the board's regulations were unnecessary and impracticable, and should therefore be either suspended or cancelled. The officers of the board (men of unimpeachable character, with professional and mechanical training) reporting the very reverse, it would ill become the Colonial Treasurer to request his colleagues to fly in the face of his competently responsible subordinates, as well as to lend themselves to an act that is diametrically opposed to the safety of the public. Of course it is well to hear what the boat proprietors have to say on a subject like this; but it is more imperative for a Government to see that no means are left unemployed for the comfort of persons travelling either by sea or land. Legislators are sent to Parliament not only to feed and accommodate starving and houseless people (rendered so by failure of their employers), but also to provide against the probability of men, women, and children being drowned in harbour passenger steamers.

Putting the case shortly, the Marine Board have made the law "That all harbour steamers holding passenger certificates must be rendered practically unsinkable." Messrs. Jeanneret and Halstead *tell* the Treasurer such is quite "unnecessary" (the Waratah-Emu collision to wit) and impracticable, and ask him to negative the action of the board. With regard to the powers of the board—if they can prevent all persons (except gentlemen in Parliament) from following a boat-race—and can regulate the pressure of steam to be carried on the boilers of all steam vessels, surely they should have the power to frame such laws as would tend to the saving of life in other directions.

In conclusion, whilst regretting the public apathy in this matter, it might be well to let it be generally known that the board's innovation for the public safety would not cost on an average £50 per steamer. I am, &c.,
ROBERT MOODIE.
July 28.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

With his accustomed punctuality, Mr. Scarr issued the weights for the Canterbury Park Handicaps yesterday forenoon, and his work appears in another part of this paper. Voltaire has the place of honour in the Hurdle Race with 12st., and taking into consideration his recent good deeds, he could not have received much less; Bound follows with a concession of 7lb., or 4lb. more than he carried into second position at Rosehill on Saturday; while Glenvale, who had 10st. 5lb. on that occasion, and ran into third place, has been awarded 3lb. less, and consequently may be regarded as fairly well in. Major and Yadbro have also very little room for complaint. Pet Girl has been placed at the top of the tree in the Flying Handicap with 9st. 3lb., an impost that should not extinguish her chances, while the prospects of Lady Lovel, Oceana, Albion, and Marinea seem to be as bright as any in the race. Mitchell, at the head of the class in the Park Stakes, should be able to give a good account of himself even with 8st. 9lb., and at their respective weights, the chances of Sweetbriar and Savant should not be overlooked. Pet Girl has not been harshly treated though she has been apportioned top weight in the Bank Handicap, and those that have been let off fairly well are Jack, Sloth, and The Rip. Eily O'Connor, Marlborough, and Hugo are about the best in for the Stewards' Mile, though the event seems rather open.

Shortly after the appearance of the weights for the Canterbury Park Handicaps, yesterday, Here's Luck was struck out of the Bank Handicap, and The Miner was withdrawn from the Flying Handicap.

The first forfeits for the County Purse and Hawkesbury Grand Handicap are due to-morrow at 4 p.m.; but nominators for those events should note that the new rule passed at the last annual meeting of the A.J.C. is in force, and provided as under:—"When the last day for doing anything in relation to a race falls on a Sunday or on a public holiday, it may be done on the following day, unless the race to which such act relates is appointed for such public holiday, in which case the act must be done on the day previous to such Sunday or public holiday."

The programme framed by the Rosehill Racing Club for their August meeting, on the 18th proximo, is announced in this issue of the *Herald*, and is of the usual liberal character. It contains five events, for which the added money totals £500, distributed as under:—Austral Handicap of 100 sovs., second horse to receive 10 sovs. from the prize, 6 furlongs; Hurdle Race, a handicap of 100 sovs., second horse to receive 10 sovs. from the prize, 2 miles; Granville Stakes, of 100 sovs., second horse to receive 10 sovs. from the prize, 7 furlongs; Auction Plate of 100 sovs., w.f.a., winner to be sold for 100 sovs., selling allowances, 6½ furlongs; August Handicap of 100 sovs., second horse to receive 10 sovs. from the prize, 1½ mile and 100 yards. The date of entry has been fixed for Monday next, August 6, and the weights are promised on the following Monday. It must not be forgotten that there are no acceptance fees or sweepstakes, and that 1 sov., which must invariably accompany the entry form, covers all expenses.

The bill of fare offered by the Sydney Driving Park Club, Limited, for their second supplementary trotting and race meeting, to be held on Thursday next, attracted satisfactory entries yesterday, the entrants totalling 60, distributed as follows:—Maiden Trot, 11; Time Handicap Trot, 18; Welter Handicap Pony Race, 7; Selling Pony Race, 3; Handicap Galloway Race, 11; and Selling Galloway Race, 10. The handicaps are promised this afternoon, and jockeys' and trainers' tickets will also be issued. The following ponies and Galloways must be in attendance at the office of the club at 3 o'clock this afternoon to be measured:—Edith, St. Simon, Horatio, and Flirt.

Settling over the July meeting of the Rosehill Racing Club took place yesterday at Tattersall's Rooms, and passed off satisfactorily. The fielders had all the best of the deal, as the favourites were put down in every race.

A match came off at Dubbo last Saturday for £10 aside, half-mile, between Mr. H. M'Quade's Hindoo and Mr. Laughlin's Olive, and the former won without an effort.

Advices from Queensland state that the colt Brucedale, by John Bull—Fascination, who has hitherto given no end of trouble to his trainer, has developed a bad leg, although he has been out of work for some time.

The Q. T. C. and Brisbane Tattersall's Club are likely to adopt the instantaneous photographic process as developed by Mr. Otto Fuchs, of Grafton, at their next race meeting, and that gentleman has signified his intention to attend both meetings on payment of expenses. As the system must necessarily be brought into operation on all leading racecourses ere long, it is time that the leading turf clubs in this colony took up the matter, instead of waiting for the racing institutions north of the Tweed to lead the way.

The Queensland racehorse Elsinore, by Fenman, from Wave, who has been out of work for a couple of years, and part of the time was doing stud duty, has been put in training again, and will probably carry Mr. J. P. Jost's popular colours during the coming spring campaign. Elsinore won the Sandgate Handicap at the Spring meeting of the Q. T. C. in 1884, and was also credited with several winning brackets on the northern courses.

In the handicap framed for the Brisbane Driving Park Time Handicap Trot Huon (imp.) has been placed in his proper position at the head of the list, conceding a start of 35 seconds to the scratch horses, and 15 seconds to the imported horse Doncaster; but on recent performances the son of Almont Junior should hold his field pretty safe should his owner elect to send him to the Northern colony. Chanticleer should have a good look at 70 seconds behind, and Garry Owen at 60 seconds has nothing to complain of.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that the following have been struck out of their V. R. C. Grand National engagements:—Maiden Steeplechase: Anglo. Grand National Hurdle Race: King of the West, Dick Turpin, Dragon. Grand National Steeplechase: Dragon. Selling Hurdle Race: Coundace.

CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.

The adjustments for the handicaps in connection with the Canterbury Park August Meeting were declared yesterday, and are as under:—

HURDLE RACE—2 miles.

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Voltaire	12 0	Glenvale	10 2	Erie	9 3
Bound	11 7	Major	9 9	Bones	9 0
Uppercut	11 3	Mawollock	9 5	Yadbro	9 0
Garnet	11 0				

THE FLYING HANDICAP—6 furlongs 50 yards.

Pet Girl	9 3	Oceana	7 0	Sydney	6 4
Victory	8 5	Iona	7 0	The Diver	6 4
Butterfly	7 9	Parguesse	6 11	Fenella	6 4
Tilburn	7 9	Tethys	6 11	Zephyr	6 2
Marinea	7 7	The Hypocrite	6 9	Pugilist	6 2
The Miner	7 7	Albion	6 9	Coxcomb	6 0
Hugo	7 5	Lady Lovel	6 7	Fearer	6 0
Sampson	7 3	Viper	6 7		

THE PARK STAKES—7 furlongs.

Mitchell	8 9	Party	7 7	Margot	6 11
Gefahr	8 4	Tommy	7 7	Roma	6 11
Albion	8 2	St. Mary	7 4	Mayflower	6 9
Savant	8 0	Spoilt Girl	7 4	Casket	6 9
Aurelius	8 0	Roberto	7 2	Exchange	6 9
Tenbie	7 11	Audacious	7 2	Desdemona	6 7
Master Crusoe	7 9	Pugilist	7 0	Argyll	6 7
Kameruka	7 9	Sweetbriar	7 0	Rocklea	6 7

THE BANK HANDICAP—1 mile 1 furlong.

Pet Girl	8 10	Allandale	7 4	Euroclydon	6 4
Sloth	8 7	The Rip	7 2	Y. Kingston	6 2
Here's Luck	7 12	Marlborough	7 0	Albion	6 2
Victory	7 10	Butterfly	6 12	Roberto	6 0
Jack	7 8	Marinea	6 10	Bonnie Doon	6 0
Simon	7 8	Teddy Yuille	6 8	Whisper Low	6 0
Elsie	7 6	Gefahr	6 6		
Desmond	7 6	Glentworth	6 4		

THE STEWARDS' MILE.

Desmond	11 7	Saturn	9 12	Omeo	9 0
Resolve	11 3	Attraction	9 10	Blister	8 12
Marlborough	11 0	Kameruka	9 7	Sweetbriar	8 12
Mitchell	10 9	Erie	9 7	Exchange	8 10
Hugo	10 7	Centrefield	9 5	Mawollock	8 10
Nitrogen	10 5	Tommy	9 5	Desdemona	8 7
Garnet	10 5	Feurer	9 3	Thetis	8 7
Glenvale	10 3	Ace of Hearts	9 3	Rocklea	8 7
Elly O'Connor	10 3	Uncle Tom	9 0		
Euroclydon	10 0	Coxcomb	9 0		

SYDNEY DRIVING PARK CLUB, LIMITED.

The following entries were received yesterday for the above club's Supplementary Trotting and Race meeting, to be held at Moore Park on Thursday next:—

MAIDEN TROT—1 mile.

Young Australia (late Paddy)	Thistle	Aristocrat	Dolly
Jack	Jenny	Geo. Augustus	Killarney Vermont
Blucher	Judy	Sir Richard	

TIME HANDICAP TROT—2 miles.

Chanticleer	Lotty	L. Jeanne	New Chum
Jack	Duke	Hazard (late Commodore)	Sir Richard
Blucher	Elinos Vermontena	Creole	Little Dick
Duchess	Winkles	Burwood	Huon
Native Cat			Lady Vermont.

WELTER HANDICAP PONY RACE—¾ mile.

Gadfly	Beatrice (late Myrtle)	Jack	Warlike Glee.
Lady Belle		Julia	Adelia

SELLING PONY RACE—½ mile.

Gadfly, £20	Beatrice, £10	Dolly Varden, nil.

HANDICAP GALLOWAY RACE—1 mile.

The Unknown	O'Jane	The Diver	Mayflower
V. I.	Minnie, Ha, Ha	Fidget	Poor Van.
The Nile	Edith	Beda	

SELLING GALLOWAY RACE—¾ mile.

The Unknown, nil	Horatio, £20	Fidget, nil	Fairy, £10
St. Simon, £20	O. Jane, nil	Days of Old, £10	Poor Dan, £30
	Eve, nil		Flirt, nil.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MENTONE CUP.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The following horses remain in the Mentone Cup:—

Dunlop	9 13	Meteor	7 8	Digby Grand	6 12
Ben Bolt	9 8	Whitefoot	7 8	Ballarat	6 12
Dufferin	9 1	Master Jack	7 7	Boadicea	6 12
Cyclops	8 11	Aglaos	7 7	Lealand	6 12
Bohemian	8 9	King of the West	7 6	Quicklight	6 12
The Nun	8 9	Murmur	7 5	Rouge-et-Noir	6 11
The Yeoman	8 9	Chetwynd	7 5	Strife	6 11
Kobai	8 7	Falcon	7 5	Osprey	6 9
Stanley	8 7	E.D.	7 5	Precedence	6 8
Remus	8 6	Master John	7 4	Bothwell	6 8
The Levite	8 5	Leroy	7 2	Young Liberator	6 8
Dividend	8 3	Crown Brand	7 2	Docile	6 8
Lara	8 1	Sorrella	7 2	Churchill	6 8
Lord Allen	8 1	Bolingbroke	7 0	Tourbillion	6 8
The Tinman	7 13	Warrnambool	7 0	Propounder	6 8
Sir Galahad	7 13	Trojan	7 0	Creme	6 8
St. Odille	7 11	Prst	7 0	Yellow Hammer	6 7
Box	7 11	Jebusite	6 13	Rich Ruby	6 7
Mistletoe	7 11	Worcester	6 13	New Star	6 7
St. John	7 10	Menotti	6 13	Ilex	6 7
Newmaster	7 8	Lord Cochrane	6 12		
Vermont	7 8				

RICHMOND RIVER JOCKEY CLUB.

CASINO, MONDAY.

The acceptances and general entry for the Richmond River Jockey Club races are excellent, numbering over 80 for the 10 events. Fairy and Ajax, and Ajax and Ajax, are the favourites for the two handicaps. There is every prospect of a most successful meeting.

THE MELBOURNE BETTING MARKET.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The betting on the Grand National Meeting is still comparatively quiet, but business may be expected to get into full swing in a day or two. For the Grand National Hurdle 8 to 1 was offered on the field to-day. As regards the Grand National Steeplechase, 3 to 1 is taken and offered about Flashlight to a little money, and 5 to 1 Royal Oak, which price was on offer against Mernder, whilst Rigby figured at 6 to 1 offered. About anything else the figures ranged from 7 to 1 to 20 to 1.

SALE OF RACEHORSES.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

To-day, Messrs. Campbell and Sons sold the following racehorses, the property of Mr. G. W. Smith:—St. Michael, Mr. Martin, 67½ guineas; St. George, Mr. Hammill, 45 guineas; St. Philomena, W. E. Ryan, 25 guineas; Lyndhurst, Mr. Bolger, 13 guineas.

FOOTBALL.

A match was played on the Association Cricket Ground on Monday between the Victorian footballers and a representative team of the suburban clubs playing under British Association rules. The result was a draw, each side scoring 1 goal. New South Wales won the toss, and elected to defend the northern goal, being favoured with a slight breeze. Ross kicked off for Victoria, and the ball was sent behind their goal. A foul was given against Victoria, and Baillie took the kick, but it was headed back, and Parnell dribbled away on the western wing. Ewing dribbled on the opposite side, and middled, but the Victorians got the ball away on the wing, Hitchen at length kicking behind. New South Wales obtained a corner. A good kick by Barringham sent the ball in front of the Victorian goal, but Miller, Nicholson, and Ross worked the ball down the field. Bryan kicked out to Parnell, who dribbled down the field and middled, but sent the ball too high. The same player put in a good shot at goal, but the direction was wanting. A serviceable kick by Picken sent the ball towards the Victorian goal, and it went out close to the line. A high kick by Barringham sent the ball again towards the Victorian posts and once more it went out. Baillie and Edgar headed well and Hitchen stopped a rush with a good header, Fairlie had a shot at the Victorian goal, but Jones kicked away and Ewing returned smartly, the ball going behind. Hitchen had a fair opening for goal, but his direction was not good. Ross kicked towards the New South Wales line and Barringham returned. Parnell middled smartly from the western wing, and Miller kicked over the bar. A fine kick by Baillie sent the ball well way, and Edgar sent it on further. Parnell took a quick kick at goal at close quarters, but the ball struck Barringham, and a corner resulted. Edgar dribbled and passed to Ewing, who sent it on to Kerr, but his direction was not correct, and the ball went behind. The ball went out several times in the New South Wales territory, and a foul was awarded to Victoria. M'Pherson took the kick, and, after a smart rally close in goal, Baillie kicked away. Lusk at length cleared his lines and M'Pherson sent the ball back. Sorlie had a splendid chance right in front of goal but did not succeed. Play was maintained around the Victorian goal, and at length Edgar made a beautiful kick and potted a goal for New South Wales. The Victorians then drove their opponents back, but Baillie at length kicked well away. A foul was given against New South Wales and Baillie took the kick, which was not successful. Ewing headed smartly from a high kick and sent the ball behind. Edgar kicked well and M'Pherson sent the ball out of bounds saving a corner thereby. Lusk made a hard kick close to goal and sent the ball behind. Parnell dribbled away and Edgar put in a very good kick close to the Victorian posts. A foul was given against New South Wales, and Baillie took the kick, which was headed back. Some exciting play took place in the Victorian goal and a corner was claimed for New South Wales, but not allowed. Hitchen kicked to Kerr, who first headed and then kicked through goal, but it was not allowed as Kerr was off-side. Hitchen put in a hard kick from the centre and it went behind and Sorlie dribbled well down and got the ball close to the line and Amson saved by kicking out. New South Wales got a corner, but nothing came of it. The Victorian goal was besieged and Jones relieved by fisting the ball out. A foul was given to New South Wales and Baillie took the kick, Hitchen taking a shot at goal. Half-time was then called, the scores being, New South Wales 1, Victoria 0. Ends being changed, Sorlie kicked off to Lusk, who sent the ball out. Victoria obtained a corner, and Tunnicliff took the kick, but middled rather too far from goal. An attack on the New South Wales goal was well met by Renicer, who threw away smartly. Bryan headed at goal, and the ball went just over the bar, touching it on its way. Sorlie and Kerr took the ball well down to the Victorian goal, and Sorlie middled well, but Jones kicked away safely. Tunnicliff kicked at goal from the centre, but he put too much weight into his kick, and sent the ball behind. Ewing kicked across from the western wing, but Kerr did not take the ball, and M'Pherson kicked away. Barringham headed well into the centre, but New South Wales quickly had the ball away, and Edgar worked it into Victorian territory. A hard kick from the wing by Sorlie went direct to the Victorian goal, but Jones cleared his lines very smartly. A neat dribble by Tunnicliff took the ball to the centre of the ground, and Picken kicked back. A hard kick by Baillie sent the ball behind. The ball was worked into the New South Wales territory, and Ross centering, some lively play followed around the New South Wales goal. Parnell worked hard for a shot, but Hitchen charged him down, and the ball was kicked behind. Ewing and Edgar were mainly instrumental in working the ball down to the Victorian lines, and a corner kick was obtained by New South Wales, but Edgar, who took the kick, only sent it behind. The same player then took a shot at goal with excellent direction, but Jones threw the ball back smartly. There was some lively play around the Victorian goal, and ultimately the goalkeeper carried the ball through his own goal, thus giving New South Wales a corner. Some very lively play followed, the ball visiting both ends. Ewing had the ball to himself in the Victorian goal, but he kicked too hard. A corner kick to Victoria went over the bar. When the ball was kicked out the New South Wales men took it up the field, and Edgar kicked to Ewing, who centred well, but Amson sent the ball well away at the wing. Ewing had what looked like a nice chance, right in front of the Victorian goal, but he was not able to take the ball, and it went away to the wing. Parnell centred to Miller in front of the New South Wales goal, but Edgar saved cleverly by kicking out. The kick-off resulted in a foul to Victoria, and the ball was headed back by Hitchen. Another foul took place close to the New South Wales goal, and Amson taking the kick, scored a goal for Victoria, the ball going through off Nicholson. The ball being again kicked off, a hard shot by M'Pherson went over the New South Wales goal, and time was called shortly afterwards. A noticeable defect in the play, especially on the part of the New South Wales men, was the hard kicking, the ball being sent over the bar or over the line time after time when it might have been effectively placed close in front of goal. Mr. M'Donald acted as referee, and Messrs. Herron and Bisiker as judges, and they discharged their duties in a satisfactory manner. To-day the Victorians will play a team representing the city clubs.

The fortnightly meeting of the New South Wales Football Association was held in Levy and Scott's rooms on Friday night, Mr. G. Crisp, vice-president, in the chair. There was a good attendance of delegates. A letter was received from the United Wagga Wagga Football Club, intimating their intention of affiliating with the association. Mr. J. Levin's letter, in which he stated that owing to pressure of private business he was compelled to resign his position as hon. secretary to the association, was received, and the resignation was accepted. A vote of thanks to Mr. Levin for the services which he had rendered the Association was carried by acclamation. Mr. W. J. W. Richardson was requested to act as secretary pro tem., and it was resolved that a general meeting be called, at which a successor to Mr. Levin will be appointed. Mr. Church informed the association that Mr. Flanagan, a vice-president of the East Sydney Football Club, had decided to present a valuable cup to the association, to be competed for by affiliated clubs. A vote of thanks to the chairman closed the meeting.

The following players will represent the Grammar School past and present, against the British footballers on the Association Cricket Ground on Monday:—Wood, R. Cameron, J. Wood, E. Cameron, F. Hillyar, Moses, Fuller, Fairfax, M'Manamy, Neill, Hale, F. Belbridge, J. W. Belbridge, Woolcott, and Lee.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

Lillywhite and Rosetta played at Waverley, and the match resulted in a win for the former by two points to nil. The play was very even til l within 10 minutes of time, when G. Johnston obtained the ball and a touch for Lillywhites.

Richmond and Parramatta Wanderers played a closely-contested match at Richmond. The game terminated in a win for the locals by two points to nil, the victors' score being the result of a hardly-earned, but somewhat lucky try by Cobcroft. The play on the whole was, to spectators, of an uninteresting nature, being confined chiefly to a series of scrimmages, which may, however, be ascribed to the condition of the ball and ground. For the winners Cobcroft, Monnock, Griffiths, Woodhill, and Tierney played excellently, while for the losers Brown, Cornish, M'Clathie, Lacey, and Meades were conspicuous. The visiting team played three men short.

CARRINGTON HANDICAP.

The second and third rounds and final heats in connection with the Midwinter Carrington Handicap were run off at the Carrington Grounds last night. The attendance was very good, about 5000 persons being present, including a few of the fair sex. The various heats contested brought several close finishes, and, with the exception of the conduct of two of the competitors, the performances of the runners were spoken of most favourably. J. Connors and J. M'Garrigal were disqualified by the committee for six and three months respectively for not running fairly. The track was in splendid order, and no doubt the mildness of the evening aided greatly in increasing the attendance. For the final heat Gray was the favourite, but, although he ran a game race, he was unable to outpace Church, who breasted the tape a few inches in advance of his opponent. The remaining two contestants were also well up at the finish.

SECOND ROUND.

First Heat.—F. J. Gorman, 33½ yards, 1. Other starters: F. W. Eyre 35½, T. Liddle 29, P. Monaghan 30. Won by half a yard. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—H. S. Thompson, 34½ yards, 1. Other starters: W. Neilson 34, D. H. Bushell 29½, L. Hope 31½. Won by one yard. Time, 12 9-10 seconds.

Third Heat.—L. Cassimer, 28½ yards, 1. Other starters: H. Miller 29½, C. Donohue 28½, A. H. Howard 34½. Won by a foot. Time, 12½ seconds.

Fourth Heat.—J. Brewer, 31 yards, 1. Other starters: A. Wall 33½, W. Hall 34½, Maranoa Charley (aboriginal) 29. Won by two yards. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Fifth Heat.—J. J. Moore, 29½ yards, 1. Other starters: R. Crompton 33½ yards, H. Creighton 34 yards. Won easily. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Sixth Heat.—A. Church 29½ yards, 1. Other starters: J. Connors [illegible] Samuels (aboriginal) 25½, J. Muhling 35. Won by a yard. [illegible] 12 seconds.

Seventh Heat.—W. Hibburd, 32½ yards, 1. Other starters: S. Dovovan 30, M. Tierney 36, H. Darling 35. Won by a yard. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Eighth Heat.—J. Burt, 33 yards, 1. Other starters: W. Kennedy 29½. Won by two yards. Time, 12½ seconds.

Ninth Heat.—J. Towney, 33 yards, 1. Other starters: H. N. Flockton 34½, W. Etherington 35, A. Warner 36. Won by 1½ yards. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Tenth Heat.—L. Hoelscher, 32 yards, 1. Other starter: L. Hopkins, 32½ yards, 1. Won by two yards. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Eleventh Heat.—W. A. Gray, 34 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Logan 32, J. H. Wilkinson 28. Won by three yards. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Twelfth Heat.—G. Gardiner, 35 yards, 1. Other starters: W. Wilson 35, W. Mummery 33. Won by two yards. Time, 12 4-5 seconds.

Thirteenth Heat.—G. Smith (Moss Vale), 30½ yards, 1. Other starter: J. M'Garrigal, 29½. Won by three yards. Time, 12 9-10 seconds.

Fourteenth Heat.—G. Bowen, 34½ yards, 1. Other starters: H. Peck 34, C. Horder 34. Won by two yards. Time, 13 1-5 seconds.

Fifteenth Heat.—H. Lucas, 35 yards, 1. Other starters: G. Stettler 35½, A. M'Farlane 34½. Won by half a yard. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

Sixteenth Heat.—E. E. Wood, 35 yards, 1. Other starters: E. Searle 36, W. Giblett 36. Won by half a yard. Time, 12 2-5 seconds.

THIRD ROUND.

First Heat.—L. Cassimer, 28½ yards, 1. Other starters: J. J. Moore 29½, E. E. Wood 35, G. Bowen 34½. Won by a yard. Time, 12 4-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—W. A. Gray, 34 yards, 1. Other starters: H. Lucas 35, J. Downey 33, G. Smith 30½. Won by half a yard. Time, 12 seconds.

Third Heat.—F. J. Gorman, 33½ yards, 1. Other starters: G. Gardiner 35, W. Hibburd 32½, J. Burt, 33. Won by a yard. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—A. Church, 29½ yards, 1. Other starters: H. S. Thompson 34½, J. Brewer 31, L. Hoelscher 32. Won by a yard and a-half. Time, 12 3-10 seconds.

Final Heat.—A. Church, 29½ yards, 1; W. A. Gray, 34 yards, 2; L. Cassimer, 28½ yards, 3; F. J. Gorman, 33½ yards, 4. Won by a breast. Time, 11 4-5 seconds. Betting: Even money Gray, 2 to 1 Church, 4 to 1 Gorman, 6 to 1 Cassimer. A good start was effected, and after a hard contested race Church won by a breast.

SIR JOSEPH BANKS HANDICAP.

The large number of 228 pedestrians have accepted for the Sir Joseph Banks 16th Grand Handicap, there being only 90 who were not satisfied. This speaks well for the successful issue of the starts. There was some spirited betting at the Club Rooms yesterday morning. A. Morgan (a.) on 34½ yards, being backed for about £1000 at 100 to 10, is now first favourite at 100 to 15 offered. The draw takes place on Wednesday night, at Tattersall's, and the opening heats of the handicap will be run on Saturday, August 4, at Botany. The following are the acceptances:—

C. Samuels (a.), 29 yards; A. Trinder, Joe Price, 31½; H. D. Bushell, H. J. Harris, 32; L. A. Cassimer, J. Moody, 32½; J. Atkinson, J. H. Wilkinson, W. H. Williams, C. Donaghue, H. Miller, 33; W. Moore, Charley Maranoa (a.), T. J. Griffiths, T. Liddle, J. J. Moore, 33½; Tommy Smith (a), P. E. Maxwell, Bob M'Donald (a), P. Monaghan, A. Church, G. Smith, E. Lazarus, J. M'Garrigal, R. R. Williams (a), C. Bellette, S. Donovan, 34; R. W. Turner, T. Ellem, R. D. Layton, A. Morgan (a), 34½; W. Kennedy, A. M'Comb, J. Malone, Dick Stevens, M. V. Morrissey, J. Goodliff, C. E. Merchant, W. S. Moxley, C. Kappler, F. A. Brown, J. F. Small, M. J. Monnock, E. A. Martineer, W. Pearson, 35; R. Clarke, J. Brewer, Joe Morris, G. A. Stoddard, E. A. Checkley, J. Logan, W. Love, C. Linden, E. S. Skinner, 35½, J. Sullivan (a), A. J. Kenney, A. Wall, P. Doyle (a), S. Sherrit (a), W. Mummery (a), J. S. Farquhar, D. Hart (a), J. Kenne, C. Banks, Tommy Little (a), J. Rowan, M. J. Kelly, T. Hopkins, M. J. Solomon, C. E. Armstrong, J. Connor, T. Budd, E. Sutton, R. Bailey, H. R. Ball, 36; W. Widders, W. E. Jackson, George Bowen, A. Robinson, H. Foy, J. Harrison, M. Andrews, M. J. Learmihan, L. A. Hoelscher, J. Byrnes, A. M. Hart, 36½; J. Kenna, R. F. Casburn, J. J. Delaney, Joe W. Byrne, R. Hildenbrand, E. Foley, E. Eagles, P. O'Brien, J. Madden, B. J. Carmody, J. Davis, H. M'Darra, James Furlong, S. J. Ingram, E. L. Simpson, F. Martineer, J. Harvie, E. Weekley, J. K. Bond, T. E. Burn, W. Lang, W. Richardson, J. M'Lachlan, R. Crompton, J. Tier, C. M'Gilvery, W. Brock, L. Hope, W. Aitkin, C. Sharpe, A. Johnson, W. Bartlett, C. Bray, T. Amos, J. M. Black, O. J. Cooney, M. J. Cooney, J. Ramsay, W. A. Gray, H. S. Thompson, Sidney Jones, H. P. Riley, G. Duthie, 37; W. M'Lean, A. Pritchard, A. J. Eagleton, A. M'Farlane, W. Hibburd, 37½; J. Knox, J. C. Stubbing, J. W. Wilson, R. L. Walker, W. E. Quick, T. Heath, J. Cox, D. M. Thomas, W. Arnold, G. E. Taber, H. Samuels, C. Thomas, W. Curtin, A. H. Howard, H. W. Thompson, W. Wiley, C. Wherry, D. Jackson, J. J. Grogan, P. James, W. James, P. Garretty, W. Heffernan, A. J. Munsie, W. Hall, D. Douglass, W. Ross, W. Rose, W. Read, M. Mullins, C. A. Dunn, W. E. Forsythe, R. Hume, 38; J. Varley, W. Etherington, W. Leonard, F. Biffin, R. Stokes, A. J. Lees, H. Lucas, J. O'Donnell, J. Seaton, G. R. Black, 38½; F. W. Evre, G. Stevens, G. Stettler, W. C. Rush, D. Gillespie, R. A. Miller, F. Parkes, N. Campbell, J. Chalmers, E. M. Welsh, C. W. Trappell, J. M'Guinness, C. Morris, S. Lyons, G. Davis, E. Searle, E. G. S. Foster, D. Blyth, J. A. Cochrane, J. H. Went, 39; G. Gardiner, G. Smith, T. Gatterrell, W. Tobin, A. Warner, P. M'Mahon, W. Riley, T. W. Cant, A. T. Gorman, 39½; A. Seymour, H. Fredericks, J. Byrne, W. Giblett, W. Wilson, C. Bernhardt, A. E. Best, M. J. Hogan, J. Dooley, F. Killegrew, J. Austen, A. Chapman, T. Lennon, A. G. Wright, F. J. Keogh, J. Dawes, W. Dooley, E. Grace, W. J. Ferguson, J. M'Bride, F. S. Hewitt, 40.

SUTHERLAND HANDICAP.

The running in connection with the final heats of the Sutherland Handicap was concluded yesterday at the Sutherland Athletic Grounds. A special train, chartered by Mr. Davies, the promoter, conveyed between three and four hundred persons from Sydney to Sutherland. The attendance at the grounds was very good, and the running was carried out under the supervision of the judges, Messrs. D. Davies and G. Young, in a satisfactory manner. Mr. G. Welch performed the duties of starter, and Mr. W. A. Sedgwick acted as secretary. The following are the details:—

SECOND ROUND.

First Heat.—G. Stettler, 35 yards, 1. Other starters: W. S. Moxley, 30½; M. J. Learnihan, 31½. Won by a foot from Learnihan. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—J. Dooley, 35 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Sharpe, 34; D. Innes, 35½. Won from Sharpe by about two yards. Time, 12 seconds.

Third Heat.—M. Turvey, 35½ yards, 1. Other starters: R. M'Donald (a), 29; F. Martineer, 33½; R. F. Casburn, 32. Won by a yard from M'Donald. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—R. Compton, 33 yards, 1. Other starter: J. J. Moore, 28½. Won by about a yard. Time, 12 2-5 seconds.

Fifth Heat.—W. Etherington, 34½ yards, 1. Other starters: C. Morris, 34½; L. Cassimer, 27½. Won by three yards from Morris. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Sixth Heat.—H. S. Thompson, 33½ yards, 1. Other starters: M. J. Kelly, 32½; J. C. Stubbins, 34½. Won by two yards. Time, 12 3-10 seconds.

Seventh Heat.—W. M'Coy, 38 yards, 1. Other starters: W. Widders, 35½; C. Donoghue, 28. Won by a foot. Time, 12 1-10 seconds.

Eighth Heat.—R. L. Walker, 32½ yards, 1. Other starters: H. Samuels, 33; A. Warner, 36. Won by a foot. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

THIRD ROUND.

First Heat.—M. Turvey, 35½ yards, 1. Other starter: W. M'Coy, 38 yards. Won by about two yards. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—J. Dooley, 35 yards, 1. Other starter: W. Etherington, 34½ yards. Won by about two yards. Time, 11 9-10 seconds.

Third Heat.—R. Crompton, 33 yards, 1. Other starter: R. L. Walker, 32½ yards. Won by about two yards. Time, 11 9-10 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—H. S. Thompson, 34½ yards, 1. Other starter: G. Stettler, 35 yards. Won by several yards. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

THE FINAL.

Final Heat.—R. Crompton, 33 yards, 1; H. S. Thompson, 33½, 2; M. Turvey, 35½, 3; J. Dooley, 35, 4. Won by about a yard. Time, 11 4-5 seconds.

CONSOLATION HANDICAP.

SECOND ROUND.

First Heat.—T. Gattrill, 46 yards, 1. Other starters: P. M'Mahon, 45½; C. E. Merchant, 42; J. Logan, 42. Won by a foot. Time, 11 2-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—W. Riley, 45 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Brown, 50; W. Etherington, 44½; A. M'Grory, 40½. Won by about six inches. Time, 11 4-5 seconds.

Third Heat.—A. Warner, 46½ yards, 1. Other starter: G. Stettler, 46. Won by about a yard. Time, 11 3-10 seconds.

Final Heat.—This was a walk over for T. Gattrill, as the other competitors did not start.

W. M'Coy, who ran in the first heat of the third round, and R. L. Walker, who ran in the third heat of the Grand Handicap, were disqualified for six months.

AQUATICS.

It is understood that Searle and Neilson will be matched to-night to row over the Parramatta championship course for £200 aside, on a date to be named. It is also said that Neil Matterson and George Perkins are likely to meet on the river shortly. James Stansbury, the Shoalhaven oarsman, is still open to row Neil Matterson for £100 aside.

The double scull match between M'Grue and Chate and Swift and Matthews, which comes off on the usual champion course on the Parramatta River on Saturday afternoon next, is creating a large amount of interest in aquatic circles, and the friends of both are confident of success. Mr. George Byrne, of Woolloomooloo, is one of the principal workers in endeavouring to bring the match to a successful issue. Those who visit the Parramatta River in either of the steamers which are allowed to follow the race may expect a pleasant outing, and they will also see a good race, as the competitors are said to be in good form.

PIGEON-SHOOTING.

It is announced elsewhere that pigeon-shooting sweepstakes will be shot off this afternoon at Scanlan's Grounds, Tempe, at 2 o'clock.

THE DRINK BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Feeling so strongly on the subject of the Drink Bill, as published in to-day's *Herald*, must be my excuse for addressing you on the subject. The fearful monopoly given to certain people to poison and murder (for such it is) calls for serious thought. Would it not be better, in the interest of society, to repeal the licensing law altogether and substitute an excise duty, and by so doing destroy the giant evil grown up in our midst? All the efforts made by thinkers and philanthropists in the past have been unable to restrain or control the fearful crime while the law gives so powerful a protection to the vile traffic in strong drink. Sunday as well, in spite of all law, the trade is carried on, as any one may see if he walks about Sydney on that day. I could say more, but trust to your powerful pen to ventilate the question. I am, &c.,

July 30. WORKING MAN.

LECTURES.

THE MOORS IN SPAIN.

Mr. Sidney Dickinson, the American lecturer, last evening opened his season in Sydney, in the Temperance Hall. The subject of the lecture was "The Alhambra, and its builders; the Moors in Spain; Ferdinand and Isabella;" the lecture being illustrated by dissolving views shown by means of an oxy-hydrogen apparatus. Mr. Consul Griffin, in introducing Mr. Dickinson, said he had great pleasure in introducing the lecturer, who, as an American author and journalist, had achieved fame and honour in his own country, and was regarded as an authority on those subjects upon which he would speak. Mr. Dickinson is a lecturer who has an admirable command of picturesque language, a ready fund of wit (as evidenced when the oxy-hydrogen apparatus failed to work satisfactorily), and a style which is concise, pungent, and attention-riveting. His researches into the romance and history of Spain, the recountal of the scenes of triumph and tribulation experienced by the Spaniard and Moor in the Ten Years' War, the fascinating way in which he welds together the archæological fragments of the fabrics of the past, and the incisive manner in which he metaphorically revivifies the forms of the illustrious dead, are items of more than passing interest. But the attraction of his entertainment is greatly enhanced by the series of splendid dissolving views which illustrated his graphic word pourtrayals. The views are surprisingly clear and unusual, if not unique in their detail. Mr. Dickinson's lecture was a comprehensive synopsis of the wonderful history and legends which surround the period from the time when Abu-r-rahman, King of Cordova, laid the foundation of that wonderful mosque in the Moorish capital, to the time when Granada was conquered by Ferdinand of Aragon and Isabella the Catholic. Mr. Dickinson does not weary his audience with wordy detail; he gives an outline of main facts around which he twines a mass of information which is interesting, no matter how widely read the auditor may be. When dealing with hard history, Mr. Dickinson moulds it in such a fashion as to present facts in new form while they retain all the history necessary to render the description useful to the student. In dealing with such a subject, Mr. Dickinson could not, in justice to the centre of interest, do other than devote a considerable portion of his time to a description of the architectural wonders of the famous Alhambra, yet the time he did devote to that building was all too short, and the audience evidently regretted when he quitted the place over which hangs the "magic spell." The views of that building were, perhaps, some of the finest pictorial efforts ever placed before a Sydney audience, and those views were splendidly rivalled by the views of Seville and Toledo. So rapid were the changes of the pictures that it would be almost impossible to give a list of them in a brief notice, but suffice it to say that every picture was in itself a work of art, and the lecture itself worthy of liberal support. At the close of the lecture Miss Marion Miller won much applause by her recital of the "Charioteers."

FERMENTATION.

In connection with the Board of Technical Education, Mr. H. P. White, F.C.S., delivered, on Wednesday evening last, a popular lecture on "Fermentation." The lecturer commenced by describing the remarkable change which saccharine liquids underwent in the presence of yeast, and experiments were described to show that the yeast flourished at the expense of the sugar. Fermentation, therefore, was a process of nutrition. Yeast was only one of the many causes to which the fermentation of almost all liquids containing organic matter was due. By carefully investigating what were the most suitable mediums in which to grow a ferment, it was possible to produce large quantities of useful substances. The change which took place in cooked and uncooked fruits, milk, beer, &c., after being kept a certain time, was due to various ferments, the cells of which were present in large quantities in the air, and which found in these substances material on which they could thrive. Attention was directed to the havoc that ferments produce in fruits. Fruit of which the peel was uninjured could be kept much longer than bruised fruit, and the lecturer explained that in order to carry fruit long distances it was not sufficient merely to keep it cold, but great care should be taken during the packing. It was recommended to wipe all fruit previous to packing, so as to remove the ferment organisms, which existed in large numbers on the surface, and then place it in boxes lined with paper, so as to exclude all dust, which always contains numbers of various ferment cells. Mr. White expressed the opinion that if these directions were carried out, much more of the exported fruit would reach its destination in a sound state.

Major Dane, the popular lecturer, repeated, by request, the delivery of his lecture, giving a thrilling description of a tour "Up the Rhine and Over the Alps" to a large audience, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, in Pitt-street, last night. The lecturer entered into the treatment of his subject with an enthusiasm which frequently found an echo among the audience, and his graphic descriptions of various places and scenes, together with an account of an Alpine journey, were received with marked appreciation. "America, the Marvel of the Ages," will be given to-night.

PETROLEUM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In again approaching this question I desire to point out the similarity of geological strata in which this mineral oil is found in different quarters of the globe. Its existence has been proved more or less freely in other countries along the bases of all the great volcanic uplifts. The well known Bradford well in Pennsylvania and the bore of the South Pacific Petroleum Company, near Gisborne, New Zealand, are almost identical foot by foot in the strata passed through, two layers of sand having been passed, and when the third was reached it was found to be oil-bearing. In the Caspian wells this sand, of a greenish hue, must be tapped before the oil flows in any quantity. Your journal reported lately that water had been struck at a great depth somewhere in the Wilcannia district in a greenish sand, and I contend that this is a point of great significance, because if these sand beds exist in one part of Australia and contain water, they may in another and contain mineral oil. The supply and existence of petroleum in the Caspian regions will have the effect of altering and controlling the destiny of nations; the conquest of Afghanistan, India, Persia, and other countries by Russian armies has not only been brought within the realms of possibility, but by means of petroleum has been made easy. Russian railways are worked to the banks of the river Oxus, Russian steamers traverse that river, both steamers and locomotives using petroleum as a liquid fuel. The traveller Marvin in his work on "The Region of the Eternal Fire," says the entire Caucasian chain of ranges, 720 miles long, contains petroleum; these deposits cease at 50 miles from the Caspian sea in an easterly direction; other deposits are reached 1000 miles further along the route of what may now be termed the Afghanistan and Caspian railway, at Ferghand, and cease at Askatad, when there is a stretch of 900 miles to Quoitah, our Indian frontier station, in proximity to which fortress oil is again found. To show the value of petroleum lands, as much as £3500 per acre has been paid for land near Baku, on which to bore wells, and one merchant gave £130,000 to the Russian Government for 115 acres; for small plots as high as £2 per 7 feet square has been paid. To prove how much astray the most noted geologists of the age were in their opinions, Mr. Marvin gives the following instances:—"Professor Abich who possesses a wide celebrity as a geologist and eminent savant, explored the Caspian Peninsula several times, and from his observations deduced certain theories many of which were proved to be more or less wrong. He predicted no petroleum below 70 feet; practice has proved this to be lamentably inaccurate; the Baku people disregarded his advice and bored deeper. In 1873 when even more data were forthcoming, geologist Trantschold declared that no oil existed below 200 feet, and even if so, after 140 feet it would lose its virtue. The Baku people were again unbelievers, and bored away, obtaining petroleum at 850 feet as good as that exuding from the surface. Later on Professor Mendelaieff, than whom no Russian savant has a higher place in the esteem of English scientific men (the Royal Society having conferred upon him the Davey medal for his researches) penned a brilliant essay on the origin of petroleum, which the engineers, chemists and scientific men do not believe in, and which, whether right or wrong, has been of no service in accurately determining the conditions under which petroleum may infallibly be obtained. Receiving thus no aid from science, or what is worse, repeatedly misled by exponents of it, the Caspian speculators worked out their own ideas successfully. Economics have an irresistibly tyrannic power which compels attention from the commercial, producing, and locomotive worlds; the manufacturer or freight-carrier who can deliver goods at a certain point, with the aid of one man's labour, is financially superior to the one who has to employ two; thus, with the gradual and certain extension of the adoption of liquid fuel, a system, which although it may still be considered a subject for interesting experiments by engineers in Western Europe, has not only passed the experimental stage, but has become an economic necessity. We are granted a period of from three to four years' grace, while the 600 miles' pipe-line from the Caspian to the Black Sea is being completed, during which time the demand for liquid fuel will be on the increase. We have thus an opportunity given us to keep level with commercial rivals. Owners of coal mines and coalminers may say, "You will throw us out of work and shut up our mines," but the coal consumption of the United States has not decreased by the opening of mineral oil wells, and the vast resources of of this country would be increased by proving the existence of mineral oil within its boundaries. The enormous advantages we should reap by its discovery, the increased value given to large areas of country, far superior to a mere surface value or grassright, warrant the prospective expenditure of some thousands of pounds in this direction, and the Minister for Mines would earn the gratitude of the present and future generations if he will again take the subject under his consideration and have the country properly explored with boring rods. Station owners in search of water have advantageously employed the services of private companies familiar with boring work, and the Government could have their work done cheaper by contract than by Government boring parties. I am, &c.

July 28. JOHN S. SKEET.

Waugh's Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

HURSTVILLE.

This council met on July the 26th, when all the members were present except Alderman M'Rae. The finance committee passed for payment accounts amounting to £107. Correspondence was then read by the clerk (Mr. Geo. Leeder) and dealt with. From the council-clerk, Kogarah, recommending Mr. Hill for the position of Inspector of Nuisances for Hurstville. Alderman Sproule thought that when the council of Hurstville required an inspector of nuisances, they were quite able to select one for themselves. It was resolved that the clerk should write to that effect. From Mr. F. Davis, on behalf of Mr. Livingstone, asking the council to define a road between his land and Mr. John Munro's. The council declined to take any action as the matter was of a purely private character. From the manager of the Ocean View Estate Company, enclosing dedication by his company of the Seaforth Park. From the Treasury Department, enclosing a cheque for the endowment, £509. From J. H. Carruthers, on the subject of the endowment, and stating that he intended to bring the matter before Parliament, and wished that the council would strengthen his hand in regard to it. The council decided to assist Mr. Carruthers in every possible way. A letter was read from the auditors, Messrs. Charles H. Barsby and Thomas Nicholson, addressed to the Mayor, to the following effect:—"It has come under our notice that some of the ratepayers consider that we as auditors have failed to discharge our duties—first, in the manner in which the council's books have been kept; second, in regard to the arrears. On the first question we respectfully wish to inform you that we are prepared to state and substantiate what we say, that the books have been kept in an honest and business-like manner, and reflect the highest credit on any man filling the position of council clerk. Second, we would ask you if we have anything to do with the arrears? We understand our position has only to do with revenue and expenditure; in other words, actual receipts and disbursements. It has been said that a special audit is under consideration. We would feel deeply grateful if such a step was taken. We would only add that before an alderman makes a statement in any way reflecting upon any officer of the council, which might have the effect of doing injury, he should ascertain beyond all doubt that such statements are founded upon facts." Alderman Fripp thought the letter was not asked for, and should not be received. Alderman Sproule was of opinion that it reflected on the aldermen. Alderman Patrick said the letter evidently referred to him, but he denied having accused the council clerk. What he said was that ratepayers had gone out with arrears marked thereon, and the rates were paid, and the books were not posted up. He did say after the last meeting in the room he would sign a request for a special audit if brought to him. He meant nothing towards Mr. Leeder, and he could not help what the outside public said. Alderman Humphrey thought that Alderman Patrick was right in speaking if he thought anything was wrong. The reports were all received and adopted, except that of the works committee, referring to the Forest-road. That road, on the motion of Alderman Fripp, the council decided not to take over, as the grant, £400, was paltry for such an important road.

RESERVE RIFLE COMPANIES.

It is notified for general information that the Colonial Secretary has approved of the following conditions for the formation of reserve rifle companies:—1. A reserve rifle company shall consist of not less than 20 active members and a number of honorary members, to be determined by the company's rules. Active members shall not belong to any other portion of the defence forces, they must be of a capable physique, between the ages of 17 and 55, subscribe to the oath of allegiance, be in part subject to the Volunteer Act and regulations, and be liable to be called out for actual military service. Application to form a company must be preferred by two responsible resident householders on a form which should be subscribed to by the signatures of 20 applicants who propose to be active members. This form, with one of agreement for care of Government property, will be supplied on application. 2. An active member to be an effective must have fired not less than 60 rounds at target practice, under the supervision of the staff, and have classified at least as a second-class shot. Effective members will be entitled to receive 40 rounds of free ammunition for private practice, and secure for the company £1 towards the provision and maintenance of ranges, targets, &c., and prizes for company competition. Ammunition in certain proportion can be purchased by the company at similar prices to those charged to other branches of the service. To active members the Henry rifle, with brown leather accoutrements, will be issued. Companies or members will be allowed to purchase at cost price a proportion of Martini-Henry rifles, when the amount in store permits. Targets now in the locality of any hereafter sanctioned rifle company will be available when practicable. 3. The uniform of the company will consist of light brown tweed jacket, with light green shoulder straps bearing the number of the regiment or corps to which it is affiliated, light brown tweed trousers, drab felt hat, and white puggaree. A sealed pattern will be supplied free to each company on application to the D.A.Q.M.G., Military Staff Office, Sydney. Honorary members will be allowed to provide themselves with and wear the uniform of the company, with the distinguishing mark of a silver-embroidered star above the elbow, in the position assigned to chevrons. 4. The interinal economy and civil affairs of a rifle company shall be conducted by a committee elected at the company's annual meeting, and composed of a president, with the honorary rank of captain, a treasurer, and a secretary, in accordance with the company's rules. 5. Members will be entitled to purchase and wear the usual shooting badges, under the conditions applying to the defence force, and have the privilege to compete at meetings of the N. S. W. Rifle Association, subject to the rules of the same. 6. The returns each company shall keep are—A muster-roll book, to be signed by its members as receipt for items issued, and as an undertaking to produce the same for inspection or return to store; a register of target practice; an annual return of active members, showing classification and Government property in charge, to be signed by the committee and countersigned by the staff. The necessary forms and copies of these conditions, together with model rules, can be obtained from the head quarters as soon as supplies are received from the Government printer. By command. (Signed) H. D. MACKENZIE, Major, A.A.G.

THE DULWICH HILL TRAMWAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As a matter of justice I ask you to give me space to reply to a letter, signed J. H. Carruthers, which appears in your issue of yesterday, essaying to correct certain alleged misstatements made by me in a letter published in your issue of the 25th instant. First he states that the members for Canterbury have never promised that tenders should be called as soon as the Estimates were passed. Over and over again was it said by the members that the Minister was favourable to the extension, and all we had to await was the Estimates, when the work would be at once proceeded with. With regard to what is an Executive act, or what a member of Parliament can or cannot promise, I need a few months' experience within certain circles before I could venture like my friend to express an opinion. The second clause in your correspondent's letter bears out the accuracy of my contention, where he states that the Minister has been distinct in his promise that as soon as the money was available the tram should be extended to Dulwich Hill. I again assert that our members led us to believe by their statements in public that the money would be available when the Estimates were passed. Mr. Carruthers goes on to say that I was wrong in saying the Estimates have been passed some time. If he will look again at my letter he will find he has made an addition to what I stated, as my remarks were as follows:—"The Estimates were now passed;" which was a fact at the time I wrote. And with reference to the estimated cost, I simply quoted what was asserted by one of our members at Dulwich Hill. Others can certify to the same effect. However, the estimate of £6000 would be well spent, more especially since it is made known that the Newtown and Marrickville line has shown the largest returns for the year 1887.

Furthermore, Mr. Carruthers refers to the questions asked by him on this subject in Parliament. By the way, these questions had not been asked when I wrote. Had I read the answer of Mr. Sutherland I should have taken another course, because I consider the same highly unsatisfactory, and a direct contradiction of the distinct promise of the Minister quoted by Mr. Carruthers in his letter. How ever the senior member for Canterbury can lead the people of Dulwich Hill to believe that some definite steps will be taken to carry out the promised tramway (yet not promised, save the mark), in the face of the Minister's reply to his questions, I cannot understand, as Mr. Sutherland distinctly said that he did not intend to ask Parliament for a special vote, that it was not true that the officers had reported the extension necessary, and that the vote for tramway extension had been expended. This looks black; and although another question was asked in reference to tramway construction, for which the Minister said provision had been made, this appears to refer to the construction of entirely new lines, such as the one from Ashfield to Druitt Town, and does not alter the text or meaning of the reply re the Marrickville extension.

Mr. Carruthers further states that the representatives of Canterbury need no reminders of their duty. This may be true; I can only add that it would be a lasting blessing to this colony if the same could be said of all its representatives. To conclude, I might remind Mr. Carruthers that, with the exception of the Estimates, which I have explained, the misstatements in my letter only exist in the mind of one whose failing is common to men in certain walks of life, namely, the faculty to "twist words" to mean the opposite of what they are intended to convey. I am, &c.,

July 28th. WILLIAM WEBSTER.

The widow of Michael Balfe, the composer, died on the 8th June, at the advanced age of 80. Mrs. Balfe, whose maiden name was Lina Rosen, was (says the *Pall Mall Gazette*) a Hungarian by birth, and before her marriage achieved a considerable reputation as an operatic singer, no less remarkable for her vocal and dramatic powers than for her great personal beauty. It was while fulfilling a professional engagement at Bergamo, in the year 1830, that she became acquainted with Mr. Balfe, who was at that time "on tour" in northern Italy as leading baritone of a travelling opera company, and whose wife she became a few weeks after the date of their first meeting. The union of those gifted musicians proved a singularly happy one. The deceased lady bore her husband three children—one son and two daughters, but Mdme. Balfe survived them all.

FAST CRUISERS ABROAD.

(From the New York Tribune.)

The European Powers are already competing with the United States in furnishing their navies with swift-steaming commerce-destroyers. In France a new cruiser, known as the Cecille, has recently been launched, which is to be armed with six 5-ton and ten 3-ton guns, and is expected to make between 19 and 20 knots. This is one of 15 vessels of this class to be built there. Her displacement is 5750 tons, and as she can carry enough coal to steam around the world and has a heavy armament of breech-loaders, she is looked upon as a most formidable cruiser. Vessels of this sort would make terrible havoc with the British commercial marine in the event of war. If the Cecille succeeds in developing the estimated speed on her trial trip, there will not be a vessel in the English navy that can overtake her on the high seas. Fifteen commerce-destroyers of this class will be a standing menace to British commerce. France, moreover, is not the only country where fast cruisers are building. Russia has planned three, of which one, the Korniloff, will soon be afloat. It is to be armed with 14 5-ton guns, is to have a displacement of 5000 tons, and is expected to be as fast as either the French Cecille or the American Baltimore. The five cruisers now under construction in Philadelphia and San Francisco have an estimated speed of 19 knots, and range between 3730 and 4400 tons in displacement. They are smaller than the Korniloff and the Cecille, have, perhaps, less coal-carrying capacity, and are less formidable in their armaments. England could not afford to remain idle when three great nations were undertaking to build cruisers which would outstrip the fleetest craft in her navy. The Magicienne, which was launched ten days ago, is one of a series of five cruisers whose construction was ordered by the Admiralty last year. She also is timed for 19 or 20 knots, but is smaller than any of her rivals in the French, Russian, or United States navies, her displacement being 2950 tons. Her inferior tonnage does not seriously impair her facilities for carrying coal, since it is hoped by her designers that she can steam from Land's End around the world without calling anywhere for a new stock of fuel. Her horse-power is 9000, which is above that of either the Charleston or Newark, but interior to that indicated for either the Baltimore, the San Francisco, or the Philadelphia. In armament she will not be a match for either the Korniloff or the Cecille, since she is to have only six 5-ton guns. Her designers are talking confidently of developing a speed of 20 instead of 19 knots on the trial trip. If this be done, she may be able to show her heels to her rivals. The most remarkable fact in connection with England's fastest cruiser is the speed with which the work of construction has proceeded. The Magicienne has virtually been built in seven months. American shipbuilders have considered 18 months or even two years too short an allowance of time for the construction of the Charleston and the Baltimore. The quickness with which the British cruiser has been turned out shows what can be done in a great shipyard when supplies of material are furnished without delay. The reconstruction of the American navy and the introduction of the steel industries required for modern naval architecture will ultimately enable shipbuilders of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts to quicken all the processes which at present are undertaken at a serious disadvantage. At the launch of the Magicienne Sir William Pearce predicted that the time would come when heavy ordnance could be made in England as easily and effectively as in Germany, and that the gunmakers only needed sufficiently large orders to induce them to provide themselves with the requisite plant. The principle applies equally well to steel manufacturers here. They have received large Government orders for gun-metal and steel-plates, and the industries have been practically domesticated. The time is coming, we trust, when cruisers can be built within a year from the signing of the contracts, and when their armament can be furnished almost as promptly.

BULGARIA A POLITICAL FRANKENSTEIN.

Mr. Eugene Schuyler, the American Consul-General, whose confirmation of the terrible details of the Bulgarian massacres in 1876 had (says the *Daily News*) so powerful an effect on public opinion, likens Bulgaria, in an article on this subject in the *New Princetown Review*, to "a Political Frankenstein." "Children (he says) have been known before now to turn against their parents; but Bulgaria was never thought of as a living being which would grow up and have a will of its own; it was intended to be a sort of automaton, the wheels of which were to be kept in motion by its principal inventor, with the consent of the others who had assisted in the manufacture." Mr. Schuyler illustrates this statement by a review of the circumstances attending the formation of the new Bulgaria, many of which were within his own personal knowledge. Most important, however, of all influences in detaching Bulgaria from Russia were, he considers, the acts and intrigues of the financial ring at Moscow and St. Petersburg. The Bulgarians had made their money with difficulty, and looked carefully after the spending of it; and the proposals for banks and railways and public works repeated, urged and pressed, even with threats, by the various Russian agents, the easy talk about "millions," and about "guarantees and profits," raised suspicions that the chief object of the Russians was to exploit the country, and that its importance to them was financial, rather than political or strategical. These relations between the political and financial worlds are, to some extent, observable in Berlin and Vienna; but Mr. Schulyer is of opinion that nowhere can be seen as many generals and high officials active or passive directors in banks, railways, or companies, and ardently engaged in speculation, as in St. Petersburg.

BROKEN HILL SILVER MINES TOWN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Any of the Sydney people who may contemplate coming here to settle may read this short epistle and derive some advantage. I had similar views and decided to take the trip, and here I am. A fellow feeling prompts me to take up my pen with a view of warning any hasty folks who may have a desire for the Barrier silver. It is not all gold that glitters. Several I have met here who have broken up their homes and left the civilised world are now broken, in every sense of the word, at Broken Hill, not saving even their constitutions. The population, variously estimated at between 15,000 and 20,000, is much in excess of the requirements of the field. In consequence labour is cheap, and employment hard to get. The necessaries of life are dear, and luxuries only obtainable at very high rates. Firewood is selling at 12s. to 20s. small loads. The supply of this commodity will soon be exhausted. Water for drinking purposes is carted 12 miles and sold at 18s. per 200-gallon tank. This article is half a muddy deposit after standing. In consequence, the public-houses are the only places where thirst can be quenched. It is horrible to contemplate. Nevertheless, it is true. Men have stated, though resident for months, that they cannot drink the Broken Hill water. The wind is ever active, passing to and fro over the arid waste surrounding the town, and carries with it eternal clouds of the finest sand which penetrates every aperture, and is particularly objectionable in the mouth. Twenty minutes in one of these heavy dust storms and one becomes scarcely recognisable. In consequence clothing cannot be washed about the town, but is taken to a laundry some miles away. Shop doors are required to be closed through the day, and where it is impracticable nothing escapes a good square coating. Business is very quiet and unsound, and mining operations on the decline, with an odd exception. The boom, now exhausted, has left the place a complete wreck. The fancy rents and property values secured at that time holders try to maintain, and grudgingly must yield to the pressure now coming about. There are some 50 hotels here; the rents range up to £25 per week, and three breweries. All businesses are well represented, and those engaged, I think, are not envied. Rain is much wanted, and I fear the result of a good downpour, as half the population are living in the most rude way imaginable. This cannot but result in much sickness and misery among the people. In conclusion, I would strongly advise care in the selection of this district for settlement. It has no other support than the Barrier mines, remember.

I am, &c., ONE DISGUSTED.

OUR FISCAL POLICY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Referring to the letter signed "Australian" in to-day's *Herald*—as another reader of the *Herald*, but who cannot boast of having read its pages from its first issue, yet can say that I have read every copy issued since I came to the colonies some years since—my views as to the fiscal policy required to make New South Wales a great manufacturing colony are the very opposite to those expressed in the *Herald*; still I admire the liberty given to fairtraders and protectionists to state their views through its columns. It is my conviction that the opinions given by "Australian" are expressed by nine-tenths of the thinking part of the male population of this colony. I will give two illustrations of how trade can be encouraged by an expedient fiscal policy: 1. In Victoria there is a duty of £2 per ton on cast-iron pipes, consequently there is a large business carried on in pipe manufacturing. The other day tenders were called for 300 tons of cast scrap, to be sold by the New South Wales Government, the highest tender was from a Victorian firm, to take the scrap to Melbourne to be made into pipes, &c. At the same time large quantities of cast-iron pipes are being imported into Sydney, and I believe our foundries are not working half time. Victoria encourages her manufactures by putting on a duty on exported scrap of £1 per ton, and £2 per ton on imported pipes. 2. Tenders are being called for the supply of cast-iron pipes for the Orange water supply, over 1000 tons will be required. Now, if we had an expedient tariff, similar to the Victorian for cast-iron pipes, there is no doubt the pipes would be manufactured in Sydney, Lithgow, or Orange, where they have foundries (with a little extra expense) capable of doing the work, and would mean spending about £5000 in wages. My contention is that if this money could be spent in the colony (at the same time be providing extra plant for the manufacturer) the country would be all the richer. I could give many similar cases showing that our so-called freetrade tariff is a murderous one for the bulk of manufacturers, and that a radical change is required.

We have all the raw material in the shape of coal and iron, but we want the men as legislators who will take the trouble to ascertain the real sources of trade, and from whence can the revival come? It is an old saying, "The tools are for those who can use them."

July 27. I am, &c., OBSERVER.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—JULY 30.

Gambier (s.), 2300 tons, Captain R. R. Brown, from Melbourne 27th instant. Passengers: Sergeant Major Anderson, Messrs. H. G. Rice, S. P. Birchall, P. Castella, A. Lee, S. Nain, and 37 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Wellington (s.), 118 tons, Captain R. Taplin, from Port Macquarie 29th instant. Passengers—Messrs. Hibbard, W. Walsh, M'Gannett. Messrs. John See and Co., agents.

Warrego (s.), 1552 tons, Captain T. A. Lake, from Melbourne 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs Good, Mrs. Green, Miss Green, Miss Parkinson, Miss Habgood, Messrs. H. Marks, B. Morris, J. Morris, Sinclair, T. May, F. N. Mulholland, Eggleston, and 30 in the steerage. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Menmuir (s.), 2337 tons, Captain P. T. Helms, from Hongkong 2nd instant, via Port Darwin 17th instant, Thursday Island 21st instant, Queensland ports and Brisbane 28th instant. Passengers—From Hongkong to Sydney: Mrs. Neidhardt. From Port Darwin: Messrs. F. G. Monger, J. Russell, J. D. La Monte, W. Williams, and 1 in the steerage. From Thursday Island: Mr. Peebles. From Port Darwin to Melbourne: Mrs. T. J. Lynott and servant, Messrs. F. F. Hopkins, Charles Fisher, F. G. Hassell, and 1 in steerage. From Port Darwin to Adelaide: Mr. B. Keenesth. Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., agents.

Eurimbla (s.), 1055 tons, Captain J. Selmes, from Rockhampton 25th instant, via Brisbane 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs. David F. Isles, Mrs. Hawley, Mrs. Denny, Mrs. Bevan and 3 children, Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Chandler, Miss Gibbs, Miss E. Swam, Messrs. Joseph J. Falk, Lunsey, Wigg, J. M. Jones, H. Crossley, J. W. Denny, L. Frank, J. A. Fortune, W. Williams, G. Marchant, E. Bevan, H. Wigmore, W. H. Dick, and 24 in the steerage. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Burrumbeet (s.), 2600 tons, Captain George Tait, from Melbourne 28th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tofft, Mrs. G. D. Buchanan, Miss Tofft, Messrs. Johnston, J. D. M'Cullough, Rippin, H. Legge, Dr. J. F. Neily, B. Singer, A. A. Jackson, Lambeth, Master J. Creed, and 15 in the steerage. Messrs. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

Wairarapa (s.), 1783 tons, Captain H. W. H. Chatfield, from Auckland 24th instant, via Russell 25th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Kilgour, Mrs. Workman, Mrs. Caitcheon, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Stenhouse, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Teichmain, Mrs. Skeet, Miss Prazer, Miss Gordon, Miss Jeannings, Miss Brothers, Miss Shields, Misses Russell (2), Miss Oust, Miss Parsons, Messrs. Nathan, Pole, Isaacson, Dobson, Pitt, Secherer, Kissling, Jansene, Bill, Stenhouse, Schields, Harper, Bennett, Captain Fry, Birkett, Rutherford, Russell, Binney, Thompson, Williams, Skeet, Teichmain, Friesse, Martin, Spence, Skeet, and 142 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Rodondo (s.), 1119 tons, Captain W. S. Seymour, from Melbourne 28th instant. Passengers—Messrs. H. Watson, S. S. Beckett, D. Nairn, C. Brack, and 4 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—JULY 30.

Clifton, barque, for Melbourne.
Cintra (s.), for Melbourne.
Undine, schooner, for Port Darwin, via Brisbane.
Evie Reid, barque, for Singapore.
Lucinda, Government yacht, for Brisbane.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—JULY 31.

R.M.S. Ormuz, for London, via ports; Warrego (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports; Burwah (s.), for Melbourne; Rodondo (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports; Australian (s.), City of Grafton (s.), for Clarence River; Bellinger (s.), Queen of the South (s.), for Richmond River; Sherard Osborn, cable steamer, for Port Darwin; Scottish Wizard, for Batavia; Aline, for Probolingo.

CLEARANCES.—JULY 30.

Cintra (s.), 1979 tons, Captain James Banks, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Bowden and 2 children, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Braddon, Mrs. E. Cook, Miss E. Pike, Miss Ingram, Miss E. Ingram, Miss Stirling, Miss B. L. Kennedy, Messrs. J. Mitchell, J. Brightman, L. Sampson, T. Weston, T. Hooper, E. Nurcombe, Jack, Langley, W. Robertson, A. J. Scott, Midgley, Reid, R. A. Cunningham, A. Robertson, and 29 in the steerage.

Aline, barque, 718 tons, Captain C. A. Henricks, for Probolingo, Java.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—JULY 30.

Pendle Hill, for Newcastle; William Brooks, Norman, for Wollongong; Spurwing, for Richmond River, via Newcastle; Crest of the Wave, for Newcastle or Wollongong.

IMPORTS.—JULY 29.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Burwah (s.), from Queensland ports: 10 cases pines, 34 bundles skins, 6 bags oysters, 2 cages sheep, 2 quarter-casks whisky, 168 hides, 489 bags sugar, 50 cases meats, 90 casks tallow, 3 bales wool, 15 empty cases, and sundries. For Melbourne: 325 hides, 3 dogs, 32 bags oysters, 25 cases pines, 35 empty tanks, and sundries.

JULY 30.

Eurimbla (s.), from Brisbane: 914 mats 664 bags sugar, 129 hides, 13 casks tallow, 13 bales skins, 8 kangarooskins, 4 skins, 46 bales 1 bag wool, 1 bag bones, 36 bags tin ore, 15 bags pumpkins, 2 cases pineapples, 2 cases tomatoes, 1 case organ, and sundries, besides 3200 bags sugar for Melbourne, and 478 bags sugar for Adelaide.

Warrego (s.), from Melbourne: 218 half-chests 87 boxes 65 cases tea, 5 cases 125 boxes biscuits, 11 sacks salt, 820 bags chaff, 20 kegs butter, 210 bags flour, 25 bags pollard, 9 crates vegetables, 20 quarter-casks 4 hogsheads fruit, 20 boxes patent medicine, 6 baskets rabbits, 57 lengths copper pipe, 20 cases treacle, 9 cases flour, 1 bale tobacco, 1 case tobacco, 1 hogshead whisky, and 102 packages merchandise and sundries; also, 200 tons through cargo for Queensland ports, and transhipment cargo for Fiji.

Gambier (s.), from Melbourne: 9 bales 115 ingots zinc, 6 tanks 20 cases soap, 3500 bags chaff, 1850 bags wheat, 3130 sacks 900 half-sacks, 2400 quarter-sacks flour, 960 bags bran, 23 packages hardware, 90 cases eggs, 200 cases sauce, 60 cases butter, 20 casks tannage, 350 chests tea, 74 stones, 35 crates vegetables, 21 bags sugar, 63 bundles hoops, 20 kegs spikes, 9 pieces machinery, 270 pipes tallow, 14 cases tobacco, 1300 bags potatoes, 250 cases kerosene, 60 casks d. black, and 80 packages general cargo.

Burrumbeet (s.), from Melbourne: 2687 bags chaff, 1000 bags wheat, 85 bags potatoes, 60 bags turnips, 500 pockets sugar, 300 bags flour, 9 crates vegetables, 63 bags kapok, 7 packages drapery, 7 cases books, 30 empty casks, and sundries; also through cargo for Newcastle, and transhipment cargo for Queensland ports.

Wairarapa (s.), from Auckland: 2572 sacks oats, 251 sacks flour, 128 sacks onions, 86 sacks wheat, 48 sacks barley, 66 sacks carrots, 1040 sacks chaff, 272 sacks maize, 40 sacks sweeps, 30 sacks peas, 553 sacks oysters, 346 sacks bran, 400 cases potatoes, 30 bags new potatoes, 30 cases sauce, 62 cases gum, 16 bullocks, 1 horse, 3 dogs, 130 bales flax, 54 cases meats, 170 kegs butter, 213 bundles timber.

Rodondo (s.), from Melbourne: 50 cases quoner, 226 pipes tallow, 3207 bags potatoes, 572 bags flour, 300 bags onions, 60 boxes soap, and 740 packages sundries, and 546 tons merchandise for Northern ports.

EXPORTS.—JULY 30.

Arline, for Probolingo: 1000 tons coal, 11 packages tombstones.

Cintra (s.), for Melbourne: 70 cases olive oil, 3 casks palm oil, 9 packages furniture, 20 bags ore, 430 cases fruit, 928 bags sugar, 38 cases arrowroot, 29 cases pines, 3 packages exhibits, 587 bunches bananas, 29 bags oysters, 109 bags quartz, 1 horse, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—Arrived: July 30, Ranelagh (s.), from Rockhampton; Barrabool (s.) and Elamang (s.), from Sydney. Sailed: Ranelagh (s.), for Sydney. Glanworth (s.), for Rockhampton, arrived at Bundaberg this morning. Konoowarra (s.) arrived at Rockhampton this morning from Sydney. Waroonga (s.), for Cooktown, arrived at Flat-top Island this afternoon. Barcoo (s.), from Cooktown for Sydney, left Townsville this afternoon. Birksgate (s.), from Burketown for Sydney, arrived at Cooktown this morning, and sailed this afternoon. Victoria (s.), for Burketown, arrived at Cooktown this afternoon. Bancoora (s.), Sydney for Calcutta, passed Cooktown this morning. Chile, barque, left Townsville this afternoon for Newcastle, in ballast.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: July 30, Clytie, from Port Mackay, via Twofold Bay; Glaucus (s.), from Melbourne; Newcastle (s.), Boomerang (s.), Lubra (s.), Tamar (s.), Isabelle, Rocklily, Marie, Spurwing, Laurence, from Sydney; Annie, from Camden Haven. Departures: July 30, Camille, for Dunedin; Handa Isle, for Bluff; Margarita, for San Francisco, with 1254 tons coal; Fiona (s.), Fiado (s.), for Melbourne; Laurence (s.), for Clarence River; Tamar (s.), Newcastle (s.), Lubra (s.), Boomerang (s.), Clara Jackson, Chieftain, Fawn, Minora, Countess of Errol, Fanny Fisher, Menschikoff, Prosperity, Alert, Hebe, Jessie, Glyde, Malcolm, Heath, Scotia, Amy, Fern, Lady St. Aubyn, Venus, for Sydney.

BALLINA.—Departure: July 30, schooner Jessie Matilda, for Sydney.

YAMBA.—Arrival: July 29, schooner Mary Campbell, from Townsville. Electra (s.) passed north at 6.45 a.m. Steamer Bellinger passed south 4.40 p.m. Arrival: July 30, Helen Nicol (s.), from Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: July 30, Titus (s.), at 11.50 a.m., north.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: July 30, Adelaide (s.), from Adelaide; Wild Wave, barque, Ayana (s.), from Hobart; Victorian (s.), from Sydney; Eliza Firth, and Nowra, schooners, from Tasmania; Lindsay, barque, from Puget Sound; Hubbuck (s.), from London; M. A. Doran, schooner, from Clarence River. Departures: July 30, Rachel, barque, for Townsville; Pateena (s.), for Launceston.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

BRUNSWICK HEADS.—July 30, White Cloud, ketch, when coming in yesterday, grounded on the North Rocky Beach. She is still aground and full of water. Crew have abandoned her.

TWEED HEADS.—Departure: July 30, Sussex, for Sydney, at 10.20 a.m.

RICHMOND HEADS.—Departure: July 30, Jessie Matilda, for Sydney, at 2 p.m.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Helen Nicoll (s.), at 6.20 a.m. 10ft. on bar at high tide; beacons in a line.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Woodburn (s.), at 10.20 a.m. Departures: July 30, Guiding Star, Emily Ann, Julia, for Sydney. Passed: July 30, Bellinger (s.), at 8 a.m.

MANNING RIVER.—Arrival: July 30, Alice May, at noon. Departure: July 30, Rosedale (s.), at 12.40 p.m.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Arrivals: July 30, Avon (s.), from Port Macquarie, at 1.10 p.m.; Hope, from Brisbane.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: July 30, Emma Pyers (s.), at 3 p.m.; Bellinger (s.), at 4.30 p.m.; Rosedale (s.), at 4.45 p.m., all south.

CAPE HAWKE.—Departure: July 30, Emma Pyers (s.), at noon.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Sir Henry, from Brisbane, at noon.

CAMDEN HAVEN.—Arrival: July 29, Zoe, schooner, from Sydney.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Departure: July 30, Kiama (s.), for Sydney, at 10 a.m.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: July 29, Sedwell Jane, Garron, from Sydney. July 30, Aldinga (s.), from Sydney. Passed: July 29, two large steamers, at 5.30 p.m., north.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Departures: July 30, May Howard, for Lake Dennis; Illawarra (s.), for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Departure: July 30, Ino, for Bateman's Bay. Passed: July 30, Ghazee (s.), at 1 p.m., north.

MORUYA HEADS.—Departures: July 30, Sarah Beattie, for Tomakin, at 11.35 a.m.; Moses Fletcher, for Sydney, at 11.35 a.m.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: July 30, Titus (s.), at 2.15 p.m., north.

HOBART.—Departures: July 28, R.M.S. Coptic, for Auckland, during night.

SWAN ISLAND.—Passed: July 29, Mangana (s.), at 7 a.m., west.

LOW HEAD.—Arrival: July 30, Wellington, ketch, from Melbourne. Departures: July 29, Rebecca, for Newcastle.

SEMAPHORE.—Departure: July 30, R.M.S. Rome, for London, at 4 p.m.

ALBANY.—Arrival: July 29, Verulam, from Newcastle.

PORT DARWIN.—Departure: July 30, Guthrie (s.), for Sydney, at 6.45 a.m.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

[PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.]

LONDON, JULY 28.

Arrivals: From Port Pirie, W. H. Watson, barque, sailed March 7; from Timaru, Rakaia, ship, sailed April 26.

The steamer Kent, 1610 tons, which left London for Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney, on June 26, has run into Cape Town with her propeller broken, but will probably sail again on 30th instant.

(For continuation of Shipping Intelligence see page 8.)

SKINNY MEN.—"Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, impotence, sexual debility. At chemists' and druggists'.—[ADVT.]

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day there was very little business done. Assets Realization were dearer, others being quoted at late rates. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: City Bank, new issue, 84s.; Tooth's, 15s.; Assets Realization, 4s. 6d., 4s. 7d., 4s. 9d. At 4 o'clock: Joint Stock Bank, 17½; City Bank, new issue, 84s.; Assets Realization, 5s. Closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
BANKS.					
A. J. Bank	17½	—	N. Z., Syd. reg.	—	11
City	15	16	Ditto, N. Z. reg.	—	—
New issue, £2 pd.	84/	85/	Q'nd Nat'nal x d.	9¼	9⅝
Commercial	114	—	Union	—	—
Federal	72/6	74/	Rl. Bk. Q'land x d.	—	5¼
Mercantile	—	5¼	Bk. of Nth Q'nd	—	—
N. S. W.	62½	—	Com. of Australia	10	—
STEAM.					
Balmain Ferry	18/	18/3	Illawarra	7½	—
Clarence & Richmond	10	13	Newcastle	—	10/
Do. Preferential	13½	15	Do. Preferential	10/	12/
Hunter River	8	8½	N. Shore Ferry	41/	44/
			Port Jackson, x d.	44/	49/
INSURANCE.					
General	—	—	New S. Wales	—	1/
Austral. Mutual	—	16/	New Zealand	—	—
City Mutual	1/10	2/1	Pacific	—	20/6
Indust. Mutual	—	—	United	—	73/
Mer. Mutual	5/9	6/			
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Australian Gas	15½	15¾	Vol. Land Order	—	150
New	8½	—	Shale and Oil	—	3/
Castl'maine Brew	—	28	S. P. Petroleum	—	—
Emu Gravel	—	14/6	Sydney Exch'nge	14	—
Hudson Bros.	5/3	5/9	Assets Realizat'n	4/9	5/3
Mont de Piété	—	24/	Mortgage Guarantee, 10s paid	—	14/
Saywell's	13/	15/	Sydney T. and O.	21/	—
Permanent Trust	4/3	4/6	Colonial Sugar	—	14
Perkins and Co. New	—	—	Tooth's Brewery	15/	15/3
Perpet. Trustee	15/	15/6	Goulburn Gas	—	—
LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.					
Anglo-A.L.F.I. x d.	7½	7¾	Syd. and Sub.	5¼	—
Ditto, £1 paid	30/	35/	Syd. Permt.	33	—
C. B. and In.	80/	—	Ind. Prov.	—	—
Excelsior	—	—	Syd. and Prov.	—	—
Mercantile, 20s pd.	15/	—	Aus. Mutual	60/	70/
Ditto, 7s pd.	3/6	—	Real Estate	5/6	9/
Syd. Freehold	20/	22			

The Australasian Mining Exchange Company report the following quotations:—Real Estate Bank, buyer 8s., seller 10s.; Australasian Mining Exchange, seller 1s. 9d.

Meetings will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) as follow:—New South Wales Monte de Piété Company, noon; Sydney Freehold Land and Building Company, at 3 p.m.

We are informed by Messrs. Clarke and Company, Exchange, that Marshall's Paddington Brewery, established in 1856, has been bought by Messrs. Bernard, Michael, and Collier, for a syndicate, and is at once to be formed into a limited company, capital £125,000 sterling, in £1 shares, but it is proposed to call up only 10s. per share. The whole of the shares have already been privately applied for, but allotment is deferred for a week to admit applications from customers of the firm, who will have preference to a certain number of shares. The prospectus will appear in a few days.

A meeting of the Australian Gaslight Company was held to-day, Mr. G. J. Cohen in the chair. The report for the half-year ended 30th June showed that the net profits for that period, after deducting provision for bad debts, interest on debentures, repairs and renewals, deterioration and depreciation of plant, working expenses, and all other charges, amounted, with the balance brought from last account (£5334), to £49,450. The directors recommend a dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. for the past six months, which will absorb £46,463, leaving a balance to be carried forward of £2987. The report was adopted. Mr. J. M. Purves, one of the candidates for a seat at the board, having retired, the following were elected as directors:—Messrs. W. B. Welford, S. Dickenson, G. J. Cohen, C. H. Myles, P. Reid, J. Norton, W. C. Goddard, M. Metcalfe, J. Scroggie, J. T. Wilshire, J. H. Storey, and J. Rae. Messrs. J. Palmer, R. Campbell, and T. Pratt were nominated for the office of auditors, and the two former were re-elected by a show of hands. A vote of thanks was passed to the directors.

THE annual meeting of the Castlemaine Brewing, Malting, and Wine and Spirit Company was held to-day, Mr. W. F. Macdermott in the chair. In the report submitted the directors expressed regret that the profits of the past year, mainly through the excise duty, had not been as satisfactory as hitherto, hence they recommended a reduced dividend. After providing for bad debts, renewals and repairs to plant, the net profits amounted to £3175, which, added to the undivided profits of 30th June, 1887, of £7062, and the amount standing to the credit of dividend adjustment account, £6000, made a total profit of £16,238, which the directors proposed to apply as follows:—Interim dividend, paid in January, 1888, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, for half-year ending 31st December, 1887, £3250; dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, for half-year ending 30th June, 1888 (making a total dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum), £1625; adjustment account, £9000; balance carried forward to next year, £2363: total, £16,238. The report was adopted. Mr. J. Scroggie was re-elected a director, and Messrs. G. Durham and F. L. Bolger were re-elected auditors. A vote of thanks was passed to the directors and officers.

The half-yearly meeting of the Patent Asphaltum Company of New South Wales was held to-day, Mr. R. Barton in the chair. The report showed that the company had extended its business, a branch having been opened in Melbourne. The profit and loss account exhibited a reduction of the debit balance from £8781 at January 1 to £7775 at June 30. The report was adopted, and Messrs. R. Barton and J. T. Wilshire were re-elected directors.

The ninth annual report of the Victoria Insurance Company shows fire and marine premiums, £134,885; interest and rent, £5058; net surplus on sale of properties, £12,083; previous balance, £4366. On the other side, losses paid and outstanding absorbed £46,067; re-insurances and other items; amounts which left the credit balance £28,231, which the directors proposed to apportion as follows:—To pay a dividend of 3s. per share, £13,480; to contingency account, £5000; to balance carried forward, £9750.

The annual meeting of the Newcastle and County Mutual Building Society, our Newcastle correspondent telegraphs, was held this evening, Mr. Thos. Brooks, J.P., being in the chair. The report, which was adopted, showed last year's profits, after deducting £500 for preliminary expenses, to be £2268 18s. 3d. A motion was carried to the effect that after the share list, now standing at 23,747 at £1, reaches 30,000 a premium of 1s. be added to each share.

In the Import markets to-day business generally was very quiet. For flour there was a steady demand, prices being firm at up to £9 5s. for best roller brands and to £9 for best stone-made flour. The European and American markets continue to strengthen. In New York the price of red winter wheat has gone up another cent. to 3s. 10d. per bushel. Australian wheat has also hardened, and an advance in the market seems to be indicated by the fact that business in cargoes for forward delivery was being done at an advance. In tea, the transactions noticed are of inconsiderable moment. Of the Tetartos's cargo, 26,177 packages were for Sydney. To 30th June the shipments from Foochow to Australia amounted to 8¼ millions, against 5¾ millions in the preceding year. Stocks of congou were only 59,000 chests, against 177,000 chests at the corresponding date of last season. Exchange was steady, closing at 3s 0⅞d. for four months' credit. Respecting the state of the market generally on 30th June, Messrs. Fairhurst, Sutherland and Co. write:—

"We last advised you on 14th instant, since when we have had a strong and brisk market. During the first half of the fortnight prices were steady, but the latter half shows an advance in common teas of 1 tael, and in medium to good medium of 1½ taels per picul. Large operations by one or two Australian houses, and the scarcity of the grades account for the rise in the two last qualities. Fine and finest have not changed in price, but are in exceedingly small compass. Demand has run principally on medium to good panyongs, and the selection now open is of very indifferent quality. Seumoos and kaisows have attracted a good deal of attention, at a rise of fully 1 tael; the teas are dusty, and show a dull infused leaf. Second crop teas are arriving slowly. Panyongs are superior to last season's, being made after the manner of the third crops of last year, which, doubtless, paid the teamen well. This season but little desire is shown by purchasers, and the teas are selling slowly from 23 taels to 31½ taels, against 17 taels to 21 taels last year. Paklums, suey kuts, and yung hows of the second picking are to hand in small quantities only, and show an improvement in quality. Prices have opened at 14 taels to 15 taels for the two latter, up to 31 taels for the first named. Paklings of the first crop show a deficiency of 20 per cent. in quantity; second crops of this kind are to hand, but no business has yet passed in them. Common teas of the first crop are in considerably less supply than usual, and it is mostly in these kinds that the deficit of 50,000 chests is shown, and this fact accounts for the higher prices at which they have sold. Suey kuts obtainable last season at 11 taels to 12½ taels have this year been eagerly competed for at 13½ taels to 15 taels. It is said that a good many first crop common teas are held back up country for the purpose of mixing them with second crop, so that the deficiency in the one may be partly made up in the other. In souchongs a large business has been done, and prices have not declined to the same extent as usually is the case after the first two or three weeks of the season. Oolongs.—Some 3500 half-chests have been settled, two-thirds of which are for America. The teas are better than last season's in leaf and flavour, though hardly so strong in cup. Prices paid average about 19 taels for 'good cargo,' 23 taels for 'superior,' and 25½ for 'on fine,' or about 1 tael to 2 taels over last year. No 'string' chops have yet been shown. Scenteds are in limited supply, and fetch high prices. Flowery pekoes have declined somewhat, but stock is so small—only 600 chests—that no material change can be expected."

Locally there is a moderate demand for sugar. The quantities coming to hand are smaller than usual at this season of the year, and, in consequence, the market has not given way to the same extent as usual. Something of the advance noticed last week in the European market has been lost; German beet, after touching 14s. 6d., having receded to 14s. Some small business has been done in dried fruits; but no sales of consequence have transpired. There was rather more inquiry for tinned salmon, attributed to the prospect of a firm market, consequent on the reported smallness of the pack on the American Pacific coast. The demand was chiefly for fish under 8s. 6d., and some business was done, including one line of 150 cases at about 8s. 3d. A parcel of half sardines was also placed on private terms. In brewers' goods there is still very little doing. Should the hop bines in England be seriously damaged, the market can hardly fail to be prejudicially affected. In M'Caul's report of 22nd June it is stated that stocks of better grades were firmly held: good 1887 English hops were in very small compass. The London *Brewers' Journal* of a late date states that the acreage under hops had been greatly reduced, and that in the then sensitive state of the market the smallest disaster at that critical stage of the bines' growth would have the effect of almost doubling the price at once, while in the event of a visitation of the lice there was really no knowing to what figure prices would go. Nothing of importance in liquids came under notice to-day, and quotations generally were unaltered. In metals, stocks of fencing-wire are accumulating, and prices are if anything rather lower: £10 to £10 10s. and £11 to £11 10s. for Nos. 8 and 10 respectively are current rates. Gospel Oak galvanised iron, 24 gauge, was sold at £18; and the same figure was paid for Empress brand, 26 gauge. In jute goods the market was without change. Relative to the Calcutta market, a correspondent, writing on the 20th June, states that cornsacks could be bought at 30 rupees f. o. b., the minimum rate of the Mill Association, and these rates were likely to be maintained, unless from second hands. Speculators had been compelled to quit a considerable quantity of their holdings at lower rates, and this had enabled the market to be partially cleared by shipments to England, underselling Dundee, for a long time a closed market. The Calcutta market had been slightly strengthened, but speculative holdings that had to be realised from time to time gave an uncertain tone to the market. A suggestion that the mills should still further reduce their hours, to bolster up second-hand holders, had not been acted on. Woolpacks, 11¼lb., were quoted in Calcutta at equal to 1s. 10½d. c.i.f. at Melbourne, and bran bags at 4s. 0½d. to 4s. 1½d. Locally, cement was in fair request; 500 casks to arrive and 500 casks Elephant brand to land were sold at full rates. 50,000 feet of oregon quitted at up to 13s. 6d. Lysaght Brothers and Co., Limited, report that they are in receipt of a cablegram quoting considerable advances in freight of galvanized iron, both to Melbourne and Sydney, in some instances more than doubled.

Messrs. Harris and Ackman advertise for sale at auction to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, sugar, other groceries, wine, &c.

At the auction wool sales to-day the catalogues submitted were of an unimportant character. The following reports have been supplied:—

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, submitted a catalogue of 88 bales at their fortnightly sale to-day, and although the lots offered were very irregular and faulty, competition was fairly brisk, and a satisfactory clearance was effected. Prices show no quotable alteration. In all we disposed of 63 bales, of which the following are the principal:—Scoured: JP over D, 7 at 11¾d.; Yass over O. B. and Co., 8 (1 clothing) at 13d.; 6 (2 clothing) at 9½d. They also cleared a large catalogue of dry sheepskins, and cleared the lot under spirited competition, at for best, 4½d. to 5d.; medium, 3½d. to 4d.; short, to 3d.

At the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Limited's, fortnightly sale to-day a small catalogue, consisting chiefly of scoured oddments, was submitted. Prices ruled firm, and a clearance was in most cases effected promptly, the more defective consignments being most difficult to deal with, and somewhat slow of sale. Quotations: Medium greasy, 6½d to 8d; inferior, 5d to 6d; medium scoured, 12d to 14d; inferior, 7d to 11d. A large catalogue of sheepskins which was also brought forward met with keen competition at late rates, best full-woolled skins realising up to 5d per lb.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £1937 17s. 6d.; wine, still, £60; wine, sparkling, £10 15s.; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £33 15s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £248 13s. 3d.; tobacco and snuff, £12 12s.; cigars, £198; tea, £367 8s. 3d.; coffee, raw, £10 8s. 6d.; sugar (refined), £10; sugar (unrefined), £321 16s. 9d.; opium, £47 7s. 6d.; dried fruits, £149 9s. 2d. Specific Duty: Bacon and hams, £26 10s. 8d.; bitters under 25 per cent. of proof spirit, 12s.; butter, £8 11s. 4d.; candles, £89 17s. 8d.; cement, £70; cheese, £41 18s. 2d.; cocoa and chocolate, £2 14s.; confectionery, £27 2s. 2d.; corn flour, £2 3s. 6d.; doors, £40; fish, £33 2s. 10d.; galvanised manufactures, £4 11s. 6d.; iron and steel wire, £13; jams and jellies, £6 2s.; milk, £2 16s.; oil (kerosene), £147; oils (in bottle), £17 17s.; oils (other), £158 19s.; paints, £53 11s. 2d.; powder (sporting), £1; salt, £140; shot, £6 6s. 3d.; spirits (methylated), £40; tapioca and semolina, £18 12s. 6d.; timber (undressed), £118 5s. 8d.; harbour and light rates, £44 15s. 8d. pilotage, Sydney, £51 5s. 4d.; harbour dues, £4; colonial distilled spirits, £147 14s.; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £12 17s. 6d.; excise on beer, £279 1s. 3d.: total, £5016 10s. 1d.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold by private contract allotment of land and small dwelling, Goulburn-street, for £4900.

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, report the sale of the Momalong Estate, situate near Corowa, New South Wales, on account of Messrs. Robertson, Booth, and Co., containing an area of about 94,000 acres, of which 82,750 acres are freehold, together with 61,000 sheep, 29,000 lambs, cattle, horses, station plant, stores, furniture and effects, to Messrs. Horsfall and Sproule, at a satisfactory price. Also (in conjunction with Mort and Co., Limited), the sale of the Kerarbury Estate, situate on the Murrumbidgee, below Narrandera, New South Wales, containing an area of about 156,000 acres, of which 120,000 acres are freehold, together with 86,000 sheep, 30,000 lambs, 575 cattle, 150 horses, working plant, stores, furniture and effects, on account of Messrs. Macleay and Clark, to Messrs. J. S. Horsfall and Co., at a satisfactory price, delivery at shearing, and clip of wool given in.—[ADVT.]

Katoomba.—A splendid land sale has been concluded by Mr. H. Crawford Brown, house, land, and estate agent, Katoomba, at prices ranging from £3 10s per foot, realising to about £1600. There are a few choice allotments on hand now; any speculators desiring to invest should lose no time, as prices are on the increase. All information and full particulars may be obtained on application to Mr. H. Crawford Brown, Katoomba.—[ADVT.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

There was an active market to-day, and transactions were very numerous, especially in investment stocks. R. Goldsbrough and Co. continued in favour, and changed hands to a large extent at a rising price. Fraser and Co. were in strong demand, and rose 3s. per share. Australian Deposit and Mortgage, Yorkshire Brewery, and Mutual Store sold higher. Metropolitan Gas sold at extreme late prices, but Mercantile Finance were quoted at further reductions. Sales: Federal Bank, 72s. 6d.; Tramway and Omnibus, 56s. 6d., 57s.

Wheat is firm at 3s. 4½d. for millers' parcels, and 3s. 5d. f.o.b. for shipping lines. Feeding grains are rather quiet and unaltered. A good business is done in tea at very firm rates. Woolpacks are selling in country parcels at 1s. 10½d. Corn sacks sold at 6s. 3d., and bran bags at 5s. Salmon is selling on Sydney account. Dried fruits are quiet. Salt has slightly advanced, and is firm, owing to the loss of the Border Chief.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

The wheat market is firm, at 3s. 5d. for shipping parcels at Port Adelaide, and 3s. 4d. at the outports. No large sales are reported. The flour market is steady. Holders demand advanced rates, but no sales are named. Patent roller brands, £8; ordinary superfine, £7 5s.; and household, £6 to £6 5s. per ton. Bran is quiet at 8½d. to 9d. The Bucephalus, from Calcutta, has arrived, and bran bags are a shade easier. The demand for brandies is larger.

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THIS DAY.

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ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, 7 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 3 p.m.
RICHMOND RIVER, 10 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 3 p.m. and 4 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

LAUNCESTON AND HOBART, via EDEN, 9 a.m.
ULLADULLA, MERIMBULA, AND EDEN, 11 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.
NOUMEA, FIJI, AND NEW HEBRIDES, 4 p.m.

THURSDAY.

PERTH (W. A.) AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Ormuz, 2.30 p.m.
UNITED KINGDOM, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Ormuz, 3 p.m.
AUCKLAND AND ALL N.Z. PORTS, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY.

ULLADULLA AND CLYDE, 9 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.

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Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain foreign countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George-street, for transmission per P. and O. Company's steamer Arcadia, up to noon on SATURDAY, the 4th August. Parcels not exceeding 2lb. in weight, 1s 6d; for every additional lb. or fraction thereof, 9d.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.; at 210 and 211½, Pitt-street, at 11, Vehicles, Lamps, &c.
BROWN BROS. AND CO.—At Bazaar, at 11.30, Horses, &c.
W. INGLIS AND SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses.
T. COSGROVE.—At Bazaar, at 12, Horses, &c.
H. M'NAMARA.—At Meat Market, at 12, Beef, &c.
ELLIS AND CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
TATE BROS.' AGENCY AND TRADING CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.; at 158, Sussex-street, at 12, Oats.
C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Mantelpieces, Grates, Tiles, &c.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At 62, Denison-street, Woollahra, at 11, Furniture, &c.
DUNN AND WEBB.—At M'Kenzie-street, Balmain, at 11, Stock of Groceries.
R. J. HUGHES AND CO.—At Wigram-street, Forest Lodge, at 11, Furniture, &c.
HARRIS AND ACKMAN.—At their Mart, at 11, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Wine, Cigars, &c.; at 2.30, Buggies, Harness, Perambulators, &c.; at 80, William-street, Woolloomooloo, at 11, Furniture, Pianoforte, &c.
LAWSON AND BROUGHTON.—At Henrietta-street, Double Bay, at 11, Furniture, &c.
KELLETT AND ALFORD.—At their Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, &c.
LENEHAN AND CO.—At Druitt and Clarence streets, at 11, Building Materials.
MILLS AND PILE.—At their Rooms, at 11, Furniture, &c.
E. FRENCH.—At 175, George-street West, at 11, Furniture, &c.
AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE CO.—At 335, George-street, at 11, Mining Stock; at 3, Investment Stock.
H. HAINS.—At 85, Phillip-street, at 11, Furniture, &c.
T. PHILLIPS.—At St. Mary's-street, Kingston, at 11, Building Materials, &c.
J. EVANS AND CO.—At Meat Market, at 10, Beef, &c.
WOODIN AND ROBBERDS.—At 21, Hunter-street, at 10, Furniture, Fixtures, &c.
DUNN, WEST, AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Saddlery, Furniture, &c.
B. R. HARRIS AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 1.30, Fiji Coral.
OATLEY AND CAHILL.—At Circular Quay, at 2.30, Doors, &c.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10.30, Leather; at 10, Sheepskins.
BRUNKER AND WOLFE.—At their Stores, at 10, Wool, Sheepskins.
N. Z. LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY CO.—At their Stores, at 10, Skins.
S. PROCTER.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 9, Wood, &c.; at Mart, at 3, Dairy Produce.
F. L. BARKER.—At his Stores, at 10, Skins, Leather.
J. BRIDGE.—At Circular Quay, at 10, Skins, &c.; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Pigs, &c.; at Chamber of Commerce, at 10, Wood, Sheepskins.
HILL, CLARK, AND CO.—At Rooms, at 10, Leather, &c.; at Chamber of Commerce, at 2, Wool.
MORT AND CO.—At their Warehouse, at 10, Skins, Leather.
J. HART.—At Rooms, at 11, Furniture, &c.
S. C. AND W. C. CO-OPERATIVE CO.—At their Rooms, at 10.15, Butter; at 11.15, Poultry, &c.; at Corporation Yards, at 11.30, Live Stock.
J. LEEDS AND CO.—At Meat Market, at 11, Beef, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges; at 2, Clothing, &c.

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Our Special Summary of colonial news, for transmission by the Orient Company's steamer Ormuz, will be published in the *Herald* of Thursday next, August 2, on which day the mail will close in Sydney. Persons desiring to send to their friends copies of the *Herald* can have them posted direct from this office by forwarding the necessary addresses and a penny stamp in addition to the cost of each paper.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

Visitors to Melbourne can have the *Sydney Morning Herald* sent to them for any number of days or weeks required, by sending orders to the publishing office, Hunter-street, Sydney.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1888.

A FORCE of 8000 Thibetan troops is said to be massed at the Jalapla Pass, and an attack upon the British stronghold at Gnatong, on the main route to Sikkim, is threatened.

THE Sultan of Zanzibar has offered to make full reparation to Italy for the action he took in declining to grant to her a free cession of Kismayu.

THE Australian Eleven have commenced a match against Surrey. The latter have made 78 runs for five wickets.

A CHINAMAN named Ah Loong is in custody upon a charge of killing a man named Morris, who owned an orchard at Blacktown. The men fought with tomahawks, and both the Chinaman and the deceased had their skulls fractured.

THE death is announced of Mr. William Dixon, manager of the Commercial Bank at Newcastle.

THE resolution to give notice, in case the terms of the masters are not satisfactory, has been approved of by the Wickham and Bullock Island miners.

THE report presented at the annual meeting of the Newcastle and County Mutual Building Society showed the year's profits, after deducting £500 preliminary expenses, to be £2268 18s. 3d.

AT a meeting of consignees of cargo by the s.s. Mariposa yesterday, a resolution was passed pledging assistance to Captain Hayward in every possible way, in order that he may get his ship off at the appointed time.

THE appointment of Mr. Charles Lyne as secretary to the Parliamentary Committee of Public Works was approved at yesterday's meeting of the Executive Council.

A MEETING of the Metropolitan Land Board was held yesterday, under the presidency of Mr. T. W. Harriott, when a number of cases were dealt with.

MR. SIDNEY DICKINSON, M.A., lectured last night in the Temperance Hall to a good audience upon "The Alhambra and its Builders," and referred at length to the history of the Moors in Spain.

THE Victorian Railway Commissioners have accepted a tender for the construction of engine and repairing sheds at Sandhurst for £21,090.

THE Emperor William of Germany has arrived at Copenhagen.

MATTERS in connection with the Melbourne Exhibition are being rapidly pushed forward, but it is thought that many of the courts will be in a very backward condition on the opening day.

COLONEL BROOMHEAD and his pioneer troops have been instructed to hold Gnatong until the Thibetan difficulty is settled.

CAPTAIN HAYWARD, of the s.s. Mariposa, considers he made a fair offer to the Maritime Council when he agreed to discharge his Chinese crew on his return. He inclines to the opinion that the owners will fight, as what has lately been done is opposed to American views of liberty and freedom.

AN arrangement has been made by the Victorian postal authorities by which all letters from that colony to Europe will be taken at the uniform rate of 6d. per half-ounce.

THE Chief Justice, as president of the New South Wales Commissioners, has written to Sir James MacBain thanking the Victorian Commissioners for the generous consideration shown by them in all matters affecting the position and interests of this colony in the Melbourne Exhibition.

THE New Zealand Native Minister is about to proceed to Wangarei to settle the native dispute there.

Two agrarian murders are reported from Ireland.

IT is believed in New Zealand that a renewal of the San Francisco mail contract will be successfully opposed in Parliament.

THE difficulty which arose with regard to the issue of passes to British exhibitors at the Melbourne Exhibition has been overcome by the Executive Commissioners forwarding the whole of the entree cards to Sir George Verdon.

A STRIKE of navvies is reported from Paris. Eight thousand labourers have refused to work. Several collisions have taken place with the police, and a number of men have been arrested for intimidation.

THE Italian Premier notifies the annexation of Massowah by Italy; and France is accused by him of attempting to prevent Italian activity in Africa.

THERE is nothing new to report with regard to the bricklayers' strike in Brisbane, neither party appearing inclined to propose a settlement.

THE German protected territory in New Guinea and the German Post Office at Apia have entered the Postal Union.

AT a meeting of the Senate of the University yesterday a number of resolutions extending certain bylaws, so as to encourage the attendance of students desiring to pursue particular studies without proceeding to a degree, were, after some discussion, referred to the Professorial Board for report.

BY a fire in the Toowoomba Botanical Gardens (Q.) many valuable trees and shrubs have been burnt.

THE Mayor entertains the opinion that the services of nearly half the men employed in the labour division under the council can be dispensed with.

THE Colonial Secretary has approved of a number of conditions for the formation of reserve rifle companies, and all the necessary forms will be ready in a few days.

A LITTLE girl who strayed into the scrub at Rookwood was discovered on Sunday, after two days' search, in an exhausted condition.

A SQUATTER named L. Clark, of the Culpaulin Station, South Australia, was arrested whilst journeying to Melbourne, in mistake for a "Major Clark," a card-sharper, and lodged in the lockup. Legal proceedings against the police will probably ensue.

AT a meeting of the Australian Gaslight Company, yesterday, the directors recommended a dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. for the past six months, which was agreed to.

THE steamer Menmuir, which took the first lot of "returned Chinese" to Hongkong, has returned to Sydney. There was no demonstration of any kind on their disembarkation.

A CONCERT was given at the Industrial Blind Institution last night, under the presidency of Sir Alfred Stephen, and at the close a sum of £12 5s. in aid of the funds was collected.

Two more finds of kerosene shale are reported from the Lithgow district.

OVER twenty inland towns reported rain yesterday. The greatest fall was registered at Mount Victoria.

His Excellency and Lady Carrington, with Sir Anthony and Lady Musgrave, left Sydney for Melbourne by special train last evening.

THE police are of opinion that the reported attempt to rob the bank of North Queensland was a delusion on the part of the official who slept on the premises, and who fired his revolver from fright.

THE Postmaster-General of Victoria is making special arrangements for the despatch of a cable message to the Queen, as was done at the last Exhibition, when the message reached Balmoral in 23 minutes.

IT is understood that the Gibb line of steamers to China will employ Europeans in place of Chinese as soon as arrangements can be made.

IT was feared in the city yesterday that a general strike of maritime societies was imminent.

OWING to the uncertainty prevailing in mining circles as to the termination of the Hunter River miners' dispute, coal shares of Newcastle district companies showed a tendency to decline yesterday.

The little debate about the Stock Tax which has been taking place within the last few days in Victoria is not only interesting at the present juncture, but curious. The agitation for an increase of the tax, the reasons why the Government resists the demand, the arguments used by those who seem determined to press it on, the complications and cross purposes which make the question so difficult of settlement—all these things together present a wide and varied field of study, the exploration of which would probably repay the necessary effort. It is clear that the way in which the Government has proposed to settle the question has not been received with general satisfaction. The probability is that the imposition or non-imposition of heavier duties upon all the stock and produce that can be imported into Victoria from the other colonies will be made a test question. We are told that the demand is for heavier charges on all Australian produce, and particularly for duties of £1 per head on cattle, £1 on horses, 2s. on sheep, and 10s. on pigs. This demand is founded logically enough upon the claims of the farmers to protection. "It was patent," says Sir BRYAN O'LOGHLEN, "to every man acquainted with grazing interests that for the last two years the colony had been flooded with fat cattle from Queensland and New South Wales, and that the price of fat cattle had gone down to a point at which it would scarcely pay to fatten them." "If the farmers saw that they were to gain nothing by protection, one of the largest interests in the country would be arrayed against the system." That is to say, the farmers having had prices raised against them by protection, are entitled to have protection enough to raise prices in their favour. The bold assertion of some of our protectionists, that prices are not raised by their system, is here swept aside unhesitatingly by one of its champions. If an increased stock tax would not raise the price of fat cattle to a point at which it would well pay the Victorian grazier to fatten cattle for the market, what is the use of imposing the tax? The case is stated with equal force in the protectionist press, where it is complained that "the protective policy of the country seems to be to some extent ignored," and that the immediate requirements of the farmer are overlooked. "The competition of New South Wales and Queensland stockbreeders has so reduced the profits of our farmers that they are beaten in their own market, and that the business of fattening cattle and sheep for the butcher is almost unprofitable. Yet the tariff revision proposed by the Government does not include any addition to the stock tax." The stock tax was imposed in the first instance partly for protective purposes, and therefore we have

here another illustration of the well-known fact that when a certain amount of protection fails to produce the desired result, there will certainly be a cry for more.

The position of those who are asking for an increase to the stock tax is simple and intelligible. We cannot say quite so much for the arguments put forth on the other side. There is a mixture of the practical and the sentimental about them, and besides that, they prove too much. From the practical point of view they are sound, but then they lay the ground for positive action on the part of the Government. It is not enough for the Government to say, "For these reasons we will not consent to an increase of these duties;" the reasons point towards their reduction or abolition. As to the sentiment, we have no faith in it. The appearance of sentiment is only the thinnest veil to cover up a matter-of-fact calculation as to material advantages and disadvantages. In one criticism upon the action of the Government it is remarked that "the sentimental idea that we might offend our neighbours—who really take no notice of our interests when making their own tariffs—is regarded as of greater importance than the interests of our own farmers." It should be seen, however, that there is no real sentiment about the matter. True, it is the purpose of the Government, if possible, to avoid giving offence to neighbours. But why? Because it would be unkind, unneighbourly, ungenerous, to give cause of offence? Those might be called sentimental reasons. But no such considerations affect the mind of the Government. The substantial reason is a conviction that it would not pay to give offence. The offended colonies would have it in their power to make reprisals, and the idea of an increase in the stock and produce duties is rejected because its tendency would be to subject Victoria to pecuniary loss. The export trade of Victoria to New South Wales amounts, Mr. GILLIES says, to a million and a quarter a year, and he recognises the fact that, if he gave offence to New South Wales, that trade might possibly be imperilled, and then "what we gained on one hand we should lose threefold on the other." Surely this is breeches-pocket sentiment.

In the criticism upon the Government quoted above, a Melbourne writer says:—"Our neighbours really take no notice of our interests when making their own tariffs." In view of all the circumstances, this is a curious discovery to make. One would like to know whether Victoria thought of her neighbours' interests when the stock tax was imposed, when the grain duties were imposed, when the colony was surrounded by a wall of protection which was to hinder or prevent the entrance into Victoria of anything which the neighbouring colonies might wish to sell to her people. The whole course of Victorian fiscal legislation has been marked, not simply by indifference to the interests of the neighbouring colonies, but by hostility to them. On the other hand, if, in making our tariffs, we have put our own interests in the first place, our action towards Victoria has been that of a good neighbour and a friend. If we have not thought of Victorian interests, we have not endeavoured to injure or destroy them. Mr. GILLIES admitted this when he pointed to the million and a quarter of Victorian exports to New South Wales, and yet, as we have shown, the policy of refusing to increase the stock tax and produce duties is dictated, not by any regard for the interests of New South Wales, but by the fear that Victorian interests might suffer as the result.

Mr. GILLIES, however, uses sentimental forms of expression, and perhaps it is by these that some of his critics have been misled. "I believe," he says, "that we ought, considering the great interests involved, to hold out the hand of fellowship, and not to increase the stock tax at the present moment when an Exhibition is about to be opened," &c. Again, he says that this is not "the opportunity to impose further restrictions on our neighbours, instead of holding out to them the hand of amity." What is the use of talking about the hand of fellowship and the hand of amity when it is the hand of the Custom-house officer which still seizes everybody who crosses the border? If these professions of amity are worth anything, they should dictate not merely the non-imposition of further restrictions, but an abolition of those still inflicted upon a colony that has proved its goodwill by not retaliating.

One of the reasons why the Victorian Government has not consented to an increase of the stock and produce taxes is the fear that such a policy might interfere with the cause of Federation. In that view of the matter the Government has its sympathisers. "Our true policy," says one writer, "is to make Victoria the leading State, and Melbourne the capital city of a United Australia, and it is not to force on these other States an anti-Victorian union." Again, in welcoming the proposal of our Government to construct railway lines from Deniliquin to Jerilderie, and from Culcairn to Corowa, we are told that the project "opens to Melbourne fairer prospects than ever of becoming the wool and wheat emporium of Australia, the great commercial and manufacturing centre, and the real capital of the continent." But it is added that the border warfare might spoil all this, and "the new lines would render it possible for the Government of New South Wales to levy the retaliatory export duties" which would compel trade to go to the eastern seaboard. Of course we have no desire to see the hostile tariff of Victoria made more hostile; but if the Government should be successful in its resistance, the explanation, so far as it can be gathered from the materials before us, will be found in a general perception on the part of our neighbours that the policy of selfish aggression might be pushed too far, that it might lead to loss of trade, and that it might interfere with the realisation of that dream of Australian union which has the aggrandisement of Victoria generally, and of Melbourne more particularly, as its dominant aim.

The differences between the coal-owners and their employees threaten to end in a disastrous conflict between capital and labour. We say disastrous because of the magnitude of the interests involved in the impending struggle. It is announced that if the coal-miners go on strike they will have the active support of the whole of the maritime bodies of Australasia, which are said to number something like 95,000 men. This means, in the first place, that pecuniary assistance will be given to the strikers; but it means something more. If the Seamen's Union determine to back up the coal-miners by joining in the strike, the steamer traffic on the coast and in the harbours will be stopped, and there will be a complete paralysis of the shipping trade. This will cause inconvenience and loss, not only to those who carry on the trade, but to the public. It is quite unnecessary to describe the probable consequences of a suspension of the shipping trade of this and the other Australian ports; they can easily be imagined. This, however, is what we are threatened with, and what we shall have unless the aspect of affairs changes for the better. Let us hope that the change will come.

The most threatening sign at the present moment is the uncompromising attitude of the men. They have already crossed the stream, and are preparing to burn their boats. They have delivered a sort of ultimatum, in the shape of a form of agreement, which the masters can only refuse to adopt on pain of a general strike. That, we take it, is the meaning of the decision come to at the aggregate meeting held at Newcastle on Saturday night. What is the reason for this peremptory tone on the part of the men? Is it justified by the circumstances of the case? As we understand the question, the owners say that they cannot afford to pay more than a certain rate for the hewing of coal, and so on, while the men allege that the rates offered are unfairly low. Negotiations have been going on for some time; but according to the men the masters have not met them in a frank spirit. There was a good deal of talk at Saturday's meeting about evasion and inordinate delay on the part of the masters, who were also accused of treating the men with contempt, and it was declared that the time had now arrived when the coal-miners must fight for their rights. It is to be regretted that a spirit of this sort should be amongst the men, for it must tend to complicate matters and hinder a settlement of the dispute. It seems almost incredible that the masters should have gone out of their way to give offence to the men. Employers have nothing to gain by that kind of thing, and coal-owners are no exception to the rule. As to the complaint that there has been unnecessary delay on the part of the masters, the other side has no doubt something to say on the question, and most people will be ready to believe that the matter in dispute is one which cannot well be settled in a hurry. And if a settlement can be obtained at the cost of a little delay the time will be well expended, for whatever the result of a strike might be, the men, as well as the masters, would be better off if the contest could be avoided.

From the point of view taken by the men, a strike is the only solution of the difficulty. the only weapon they can employ to win their "rights." But it may be suggested to them that there are two sides to the question. Capital, as well as labour, has its "rights." If men refuse to work unless they receive sufficient pay capital refuses to be employed unless an adequate return can be obtained. The whole question resolves itself into this, Can the coal-mines be profitably worked on the terms demanded by the men? If the owners find that it will not pay them to carry on their mines at the rates asked by the men, they will be compelled to resist, no matter what the consequences may be. It would be better to close the collieries than to carry them on at a loss. We do not say that coal-mining on the terms which the men are standing out for would be unprofitable, but the success of all enterprises is largely affected by the labour rate, and it may be that the terms which the miners insist upon are incompatible with the remunerative working of the coal industry. If this is the case, the miners would only be cutting their own throats by going out on strike.

Even if the miners are satisfied beyond all doubt that their quarrel is a just one, they should hesitate to go to extremes. The consequences of a general strike would be deplorable. To the classes immediately concerned they would be serious enough, notwithstanding the new development of trades unionism which enables workmen to combine on a scale unheard of a few years ago; but other interests, which have nothing to do with the dispute, would be injured, and the whole community, in one way or another, would suffer. Any shortness in the supply of coal would interfere with hundreds of occupations, while the laying up of steamers would paralyse trade. Industries would be stopped or checked, while our producers would be unable to ship their goods, and all because the coal-miners had failed to agree with the owners about the rate of wages. The disturbance would be felt in some way or other by all classes of society, and people would begin to inquire, if they had not taken the trouble to do so before, which party in the strife was right and which was wrong? So that, if the miners go out on strike, they will have to reckon with public opinion as well as with the owners; and if the contest should be a prolonged one, they will find the importance of having public opinion on their side. Without it, in fact, they could scarcely hope to succeed. It would be well for the men to bear this in mind. If they act with moderation and patience, and show a readiness to settle the dispute by negotiation, they will carry public opinion with them, but if they bring about a deadlock by taking a high-handed course they will not be supported. We have spoken chiefly of the men because of the aggressiveness they are showing, but responsibility rests upon both sides. As to the employers, it will be their duty to give full consideration to the men's case. Although the meeting on Saturday night seemed determined to have the agreement, the whole agreement, and nothing but the agreement, it is possible that something less would be accepted if it were offered. At all events the proprietors should do what they can to meet the views of the miners, so as to avoid, if possible, the threatened strike. Although matters appear to have reached a crisis, the hope will still be entertained that a way out of the difficulty may be found.

A fatal occurrence took place the other day in one of the suburbs. The driver of a cart was killed through the wheel "skidding" (to use the term generally employed) against the tramway rail. There seems to be no doubt as to the fact; but it was found at the magisterial inquiry that he died from injuries accidentally received. We do not know whether there was any special examination of that part of the tramway line where the occurrence took place; but in the absence of any direct evidence in support of the finding, there would be a presumption that there was something more than accident,—negligence on the part of the tramway authorities. If the tramline had been in perfect order, if neither the rail nor the guard-rail had projected above the surface of the road, and if the space between the rail and the guard-rail had not been unduly enlarged, it is not easy to see how there could have been "skidding" to a dangerous extent. What we contend is that there can be no "skidding" where the line is maintained in the condition in which it ought to be maintained by the Government. This may seem a hard principle to lay down, because, as everyone who drives much about the streets must know, there are many places where it is almost impossible to cross the lines at an acute angle without "skidding" and the violent wrench and jerk that follow. But an offence is not the less serious because it is frequently repeated; and in this case if it be said that the responsibility thrown upon the Government is heavy, the reply should be that the danger to the public is great. The Government ought to be made aware of its responsibility; but that will not be done by taking it for granted that the "skidding" of a wheel against a tram rail is an accident. This question was tested some years ago in London by an action for damages against a tramway company. In that case the cause of the injuries inflicted was the "skidding" of a cart-wheel against a tram rail which projected above the level of the surface of the road, and the Judge held the company responsible for neglecting to remove this cause of danger. We are not aware of anything that should place the Government in this colony in a position different from that of the tramway company in England; and whilst it is bad enough that the public should be exposed to frequent danger through the defective condition of the tramway lines, it would be worse if we should fall into the habit of acquiescing in the continuance of such a state of things, and when a fatal calamity occurs in consequence, allowing it to be set down as simply an accident.

A letter in another part of to-day's paper respecting certain new Marine Board regulations deals with a matter that should not be decided in a hurry. It will be remembered that a collision in the harbour in January, 1887, between the steamers Emu and Waratah, in which one of the vessels was sunk, called public attention to the necessity of guarding against the fatal results that might attend such startling accidents. One result of the notice taken was a regulation by the Marine Board that persons requiring passenger certificates for harbour steamers after 1st September in that year should construct therein two bulkheads "sufficient to keep such steamers afloat in case of ordinary collision or other accident." By a paragraph in Saturday's paper it will be seen, however, that the COLONIAL TREASURER, having been waited on by deputations of leading passenger steamboat owners, has discovered that there are "strong objections against, and grave doubts as to the utility" of, such a regulation, as well as some question as to the power of the Board to make it. It is therefore proposed to ask the Executive to consider if its operation should not be suspended or cancelled. Doubtless the views of experienced men like Messrs. JEANNERET and HALSTEAD, whose names have been mentioned in this connection, are entitled to attention on such a subject. Our correspondent tells us that an outlay of £50 per steamer would be required to provide these bulkheads, and if, as it is alleged, they fail to serve their purpose when supplied, these gentlemen have a perfect right to protest against being put to an unnecessary expense. The question is, however, is the expense unnecessary? We have not had many harbour accidents hitherto, but it must be remembered that the traffic is growing every year, and the Emu-Waratah incident shows that the danger is not altogether a fictitious one. What has happened once may occur again. Besides the ordinary harbour traffic, the crowded excursion trips at holiday-time have to be taken into consideration; and if it should for one moment become a question between the safety of five or six hundred people and an expense of £50, the interests of a few property-owners must not be allowed to prejudice the decision. It is contended that these bulkheads will not serve their intended purpose. If that is so, the fact should be conclusively proved before the Marine Board's regulation is set aside. It is difficult to believe that a Board of disinterested and experienced persons should frame such a regulation as this without fully understanding what they were about. At any rate it would be well, before a final decision is come to on this matter, that the interests and safety of the travelling public should receive the first and most serious consideration.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

We have received the following memorandum from the Electric Telegraph Department:—"Berne notifies on the 28th that the Anglo-American Brest-St. Pierre cable has been restored; also, that telegraph communication with Hayti and San Domingo has been established. The tariff via Valentia (in addition to the word rate to Europe) to Mole, St. Nicholas, is 7s. 1d. per word; and to Cotuy, Lanega, St. Domingo, Puerto, Plata, Santiago, and Noca 9s. 0d. per word."

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR and Lady Carrington, Sir Anthony Musgrave (Governor of Queensland) and Lady Musgrave, Mr. Burns (the Treasurer), and Mr. Roberts (the Postmaster-General), took their departure by special train at 8.55 last evening for Melbourne, to be present at the opening of the Exhibition to-morrow. Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Sutherland, and Mr. Abigail do not intend to visit the Exhibition for some time to come. Accommodation equal to 15 carriages was provided, and the arrangements were carried out to the satisfaction of the travellers. Messrs. Read and Kirkaldy, of the traffic branch of the Railway Department, together with Stationmasters Collins and Scarlett, were in attendance, and despatched the train punctually at the appointed time. The special train conveyed a large number of members of the Legislature of both New South Wales and Queensland.

A MEETING of the Cabinet was held yesterday morning, and immediately afterwards the Executive Council sat, and approved of the appointment of Mr. Charles Lyne as secretary of the Public Works Committee, at a salary of £700 per annum. The following public holidays were also approved:—August 1, throughout the colony; August 10, Coraki; August 8, Tamworth; August 15, Bourke; August 16, police district of Richmond River and Forbes; August 11, police district of Teaterfield and Casino; August 14, East Maitland; August 21, Parkes (instead of August 22, as previously appointed); October 1, Bathurst.

MR. C. J. ROBERTS, Postmaster-General, has received from the Secretary of the General Post Office, London, a communication stating that the German protected territory in New Guinea, and the German Post-office at Apia, in the Samoan Islands, have entered the Postal Union; and that from the beginning of the present month correspondence to either of the above-named places will be carried on at the same rates, and under the same conditions as correspondence to New Caledonia.

THE MAYOR of Sydney, who, it was expected, would visit Melbourne during the present week, and attend the opening of the Centennial Exhibition, has decided, on account of pressure of business, to abandon the intended visit.

THE MAYOR, accompanied by the city surveyor, yesterday met three members of the Waterloo Municipal Council, and discussed with them the projected extension of Lachlan-street to the Randwick-road. The project was considered in all its bearings, the result being a mutually tentative agreement upon the following lines:—The street will take a direct line from Lachlan-street, pass some distance south of Mount Rennie, and terminate a few chains south of the Randwick-road tollgate. The entire length of the road will be 37 chains, and it will be 66ft. wide. It will strike a gradient of 1 in 200, and another gradient of 1 in 37, from which it will be seen that the thoroughfare will be conveniently trafficable. The road will connect the south-western suburbs and the south-eastern suburbs, and will relieve the traffic from Cleveland-street to the Randwick-road. On the occasion of races at Randwick the road will be a great boon, and it will greatly facilitate ordinary traffic to Coogee and the contiguous suburbs. The cost of making the road will not be great, as the excavations necessary will supply the material for forming the required levels. Everything is now in order for completing the arrangements for the road. The Waterloo Council will at once write to the City Council, they will then be supplied with the plan section, and the estimated cost. The City Council will give the land, and it will only remain for the Government to grant the request of the Waterloo Council when they apply for funds to enable them to carry out the work.

THE question of reducing the expenditure on labour employed under the city municipality has for some time occupied the attention of the Mayor. His Worship has now in contemplation a step which will, it is hoped, effect a considerable saving to the city. He finds that the services of nearly half the men employed in the labour division under the council can be dispensed with. So soon as certain work upon which these men are now engaged is completed they will be dismissed. The Mayor entertains the opinion that the work of scavenging the city could be more cheaply carried out if done under contract. Upon this point the Mayor has not yet come to a decision, but it is probable that the matter may be brought before the City Council at an early date.

SOME time ago it was announced in these columns that the Mayor of Sydney intended to have concrete pavement laid in some part of the city, by way of experiment. Pavement material of the description stated is now being laid in York-street, between Charlotte-place and Jamieson-street. If the pavement proves satisfactory, it is the intention of the Mayor to have the method included in the specifications for the pavements and footpaths contract for 1889.

AT the examination of the Royal Academy of Music in March last Miss Flora L. Power was one of the successful candidates, and is therefore an Associate of the R.A.M. Miss Flora Power is daughter of Captain E. H. Power, of Newtown. She is an Australian by birth, was educated at Harrington College, Blackpool, and Moseley College, Birmingham. She took first-class honours at Trinity College, London, in 1886.

ON Saturday evening last a pleasant though impromptu gathering took place in the saloon of the Hunter River Company's steamship Namoi, the event being intended to represent a farewell to Mr. F. H. Jackson, who has resigned a position in the company's service, which he has held for nearly 10 years. Besides Mr. F. J. Thomas, manager of H. R. N. S. N. Company, there were present Mr. H. E. Dickinson, superintending engineer, Captains Knowles and Mannigel, Mr. W. C. Todd (accountant), the officers of the company's steamers in port, and the remaining portion of the clerical staff. The chair was occupied by the manager, who had Mr. Jackson on the right and Captain Knowles on the left. The chairman on rising to propose the health of the retiring officer spoke in most favourable and highly commendatory terms, stating that his belief was that through Mr. Jackson's gentlemanly conduct and courteous demeanour he had endeared himself to not only his fellow officers, but to every one employed by the company, and hoped that in the new sphere now opening to Mr. Jackson he would meet with every success and encouragement. He ended by requesting all present to drink the health of Mr. Jackson, which was heartily responded to. Captain Knowles, senior officer in the service, on behalf of the absent captains, assured Mr. Jackson that they would be more than pleased to hear of any success that might attend him. Mr. Jackson responded, thanking them for all their kindly remarks, and assuring them that after 10 years' service it was not without feelings of the deepest regret that he was severing his connection therewith. Mr. Todd then expressed his regret at parting with Mr. Jackson, and still more regretted that, owing to press of office business, being the end of their half year, they were unable to show their appreciation of their fellow-officer in a more tangible form, but hoped to arrange to do so in a few days, that Mr. Jackson might be reminded in after years of the many pleasant associations connected with his service in the company. The health of the manager was then suitably acknowledged.

WE understand that the Rev. Dr. Roseby, of Ballarat, has received a very cordial and unanimous invitation to become Mr. Dey's successor as pastor of the Congregational Church, Marrickville.

THE board of inquiry into the alleged tramway frauds has not yet been appointed. The tramway employees requested that Mr. R. W. Thompson, M.L.A., should be selected as one of the board, and that gentleman having expressed his willingness to act, the Minister for Works (Mr. Sutherland) has appointed him. Mr. Thompson is now in Melbourne, where he will remain for about a fortnight, and it is not the intention of Mr. Sutherland to select the other members of the board until Mr. Thompson's return.

MESSRS. Kerry and Jones, photographers, George-street, have just prepared a very handsome exhibit of their art workmanship, which they intend to forward to the New South Wales Court at the Melbourne Centennial Exhibition. The collection comprises about a dozen specimens of the photographer's art, all executed with excellent taste. Three handsome wall pictures on porcelain, representing a bust of Lord Carrington; "Our Governor's City Home," being a view of the principal façade of Government House, Sydney; and "Our Governor's Country Home," depicting the front of his Excellency's rural residence at Sutton Forest. There is a well-finished group picture, in which are presented with exactness photographs of the various Australasian Governors, and another large frame contains a well-arranged grouping of the portraits of the officers of H.M.S. Nelson, surrounding a portrait of Admiral Fairfax, whilst above rests a miniature representation of the war vessel. The remainder of the exhibit consists of frames containing different kinds of photographic work. There are a large number of panel, promenade, and boudoir portraits, also landscape views of places of interest to tourists, and a number of yachting studies, giving examples of the instantaneous process, besides several views showing interior house and church decorations. One of the features of the collection is a well filled frame of boudoir photos., the figures in which are embellished with sprays of Australian grasses and flowers.

A LITTLE girl named Ethel Moore, aged 2½ years, residing with her parents on the Auburn Park-road, Rookwood, strayed away from home on Friday and got lost in the bush adjoining. Search parties were out night and day from Friday till Sunday afternoon, when the little wanderer was found in an exhausted and nearly unconscious state near a waterhole, about half a mile from her parents' residence. The scrub in the vicinity is very dense, and grown persons, not to speak of one of such tender age, would have difficulty in finding their way out.

A FEW weeks ago a little girl named Ellen Farrell met with an accident at the Summerhill railway station, by which she lost her leg, and has since been confined to her bed. She is the daughter of a poor woman resident in that locality, and a few gentlemen interested themselves in obtaining subscriptions for her and the mother. £58 10s. has been collected and handed over to the station master at Summerhill, and of that sum £20 will be placed in the bank till the child has grown up, when the amount is to be expended in the purchase of an artificial leg, and the balance will go towards furnishing a small cottage and the purchase of a mangle for the child's mother. If any surplus is left, it will be paid as rent in advance for the cottage.

MR. SMITH, the purser of the s.s. Mariposa, during the round voyage just completed from Sydney to San Francisco and back, collected the sum of £14 6s. 8d. from the passengers and officers of that vessel towards the funds of the National Shipwreck Relief Society of New South Wales.

AS will be seen by an advertisement in another column, the Horticultural Society of N. S. W. has postponed the Camellia Exhibition in consequence of the continued dry weather.

THE following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral this afternoon, at 4.30 p.m.:—Magnificat, Stainer in A; Nunc Dimittis, Stainer in A; Anthem, "In humble faith and holy love" (Garrett).

FROM an advertisement in another column it will be seen that the Rev. George F. M'Arthur will lecture to the Lay Helpers' Association this evening.

THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

ACTIVE PREPARATIONS IN THE COURTS.

PROGRAMME OF THE OPENING CEREMONY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The preparations in connection with the opening ceremonial of the Exhibition are being carried on with considerable vigour, but there is abundant evidence to justify the prediction that many of the courts will nevertheless be in a very backward state. The German, New Zealand, South Australian, British, and Austro-Hungarian Courts are, as far as preparedness is concerned, the only ones in a thoroughly satisfactory condition. The Tasmanian, Queensland, United States, Belgium, and the minor courts are all backward. The New South Wales Court is also in a backward state, but not to the same extent as several of the other courts. Some of the foreign courts have not yet received the whole of their exhibits, but their respective commissioners will endeavour to make as effective a display as possible on the frontages. Work will be continued day and night until half-past 8 on Wednesday morning, at which time all the workmen will be required to leave the building. All the rubbish will have been cleared away, and any of the exhibits in a very unfinished state will have been covered up. It had been decided not to receive exhibits after last Saturday night, but a large quantity came to-day for the New South Wales Court. Mr. R. Burdett Smith succeeded in obtaining a relaxation of the regulations so that the new exhibits were taken into the court, and a large number of cases opened. Strenuous exertions will be made to get all the exhibits now being unpacked put in place. The time intervening between this and the opening day will be almost exclusively devoted to the preparation of the exhibits in the building. The difficulty which had arisen relative to the issue of passes to the British exhibitors has been overcome, the executive commissioners having forwarded to Sir George Verdon the whole 110 entrée cards, which he asked for the British exhibitors in the colony.

At a meeting of the executive commissioners to-day the president read the following letter from Sir Frederick Darley:—

"Sydney, 28th July, 1888.

"Sir James M'Bain, M.L.C., president of the Victorian Commission, Centennial International Exhibition.

"Sir,—I have the honour to acquaint you that at its last meeting, prior to the opening of the exhibition, the members of this commission expressed a hearty desire that I should convey to you their sense of the generous consideration shown by the Victorian Commission in all matters affecting the position and interests of this colony in the Centennial International Exhibition; and I have much pleasure in asking you to make known to your commissioners the feeling entertained towards them by those representing New South Wales. I have, &c.,

"FREDK. M. DARLEY,
"President New South Wales Commission."

The foregoing communication was received with much favour. Authority was given by the Executive Commissioners to support Mr. Stoin, of the Fire Insurance Brigade, to assume control of the firemen in the employment of the commissioners in the event of a fire breaking out in the Exhibition, or an alarm of fire being given, so that there might be no conflict of operations in extinguishing the flames. After some other business the commission had a long discussion in private relative to prayer being included in the opening ceremony. In the draft programme provision had been made for prayer, but the delicate question of precedence arose. It was suggested that the Anglican Bishop, the Roman Catholic Archbishop, and the Moderator of the Presbyterian Assembly should each offer a prayer. Then there were those who desired to entrust the duty to the Archbishop as being superior in rank to any of the other dignitaries. The difficulty is becoming very pronounced. A proposition was made that prayer be omitted. It was eventually decided by a majority of one to retain prayer, and to request the president, Sir James MacBain, to prepare and read it.

The following are the arrangements which have been made for the ceremony within the building:—A procession will take place in the Grand Avenue of Nations immediately after the reception of the vice-regal party at the northern entrance. About 220 persons will take part, comprising, in addition to their Excellencies the Governors, the Executive Commissioners of the various colonies and countries, the judges, naval and military commandants, Ministers of the Crown, and others. When the procession enters the main building the choir and orchestra will perform the National Anthem. The ladies of the choir will be dressed in white, the altos being distinguished by cardinal sashes, and the sopranos by blue sashes. The subsequent proceedings will comprise the presentation by the President of an address to the Governor, to which his Excellency will reply. A prayer will be read by the President. A cable message will be despatched from the platform to the Queen announcing the opening of the Exhibition. The orchestra and choir will then perform the opening cantata, by H. J. King; "The Song of Thanksgiving," by F. H. Cowen; "The Old Hundredth," and "The Hallelujah Chorus." The return procession will then be formed down the Grand Avenue of Nations, when their Excellencies the Governors will be introduced to the Executive Commissioners of the various courts.

The principal vocalists engaged for the opening cantata are Miss Amy Sherwin, Madame Christian, Mr. Armes Beaumont, and Mr. Otto Fischer. After the performance of the opening cantata, the Rev. W. Allen, the author of the words, and Mr. H. J. King, the composer of the music, will be presented to his Excellency the Governor, and after the "Song of Thanksgiving" a similar compliment will be accorded Mr. F. H. Cowen. The proceedings, which will begin at noon, are expected to last till about 3 o'clock.

A letter has been written to the Postmaster-General requesting him to make special arrangements for the despatch of a cable message to the Queen, as was done at the last Exhibition, when the time which the message occupied in reaching Balmoral was only 23 minutes.

The following is the official *precis* of the order of procession through the city to the Exhibition:—Collins-street will be lined by 10 o'clock a.m. on both sides from Spencer-street to Spring-street by the fire brigades, the friendly societies, and the trades, leaving a space clear in the centre. The troops will muster about Spencer-street, and will march up Collins-street, and thence along Victoria-street into Rathdown-street, in the following order, viz., seamen and marines landing from her Majesty's vessels, Permanent Victorian Naval Force, Mounted Rifles, Victorian Naval Brigade, three batteries of Field Artillery, and four battalions of Victorian Militia. It is probable also that a strong party of seamen will be landed from a French war vessel. On reaching the building two guards of honour, naval and military, will be posted opposite to the northern entrance, the roadway leading from Rathdown-street to the northern entrance being lined with troops. The Governor will leave Government House about a quarter past 11, the procession being in the following order:—50 Mounted Rifles, cavalry, carriages of their Excellencies the Governors, mounted detachment of Nordenfeldt Battery, and 50 Mounted Rifles. The procession will proceed over the new bridge, along Flinders-street, Spencer-street, and thence along Collins-street, Spring-street, Victoria-street, and Rathdown-street, entering the grounds at the gateway at the corner of Rathdown-street and Carlton-street.

THE SIKKIM EXPEDITION.

MASSING OF THE THIBETAN TROOPS.

PREPARATIONS FOR AN ATTACK ON THE BRITISH.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

Advices have been received from Calcutta to the effect that a force of 8000 Thibetan troops are massed at the Jalapla Pass, and that preparations are being made for an attack upon the British position at Gnatong, on the main road to Sikkim.

Colonel Bromhead and his regiment of Pioneer troops will hold Gnatong until the Thibetan difficulty is settled.

[The Calcutta correspondent of the *Times* says there appears to be no immediate prospect of a peaceful settlement of our quarrel with Thibet, and there are indications in various directions that a further attack on a more extensive scale is in contemplation. The late defeat, instead of acting as an inducement to sue for peace, would seem, on the contrary, to have had the effect of stimulating the Thibetan authorities to adopt an attitude of irreconcilable hostility. The latest telegraphic despatch states that for several days large numbers of the enemy have been seen crossing and recrossing the Jalapla Pass. They have erected a fort surrounded with high stone walls on rising ground in the centre of the valley leading up to the Jalap Pass, within a few yards of the road. A little below the fort a wall had been erected across the road. Large numbers of tents are visible over the top of the pass. The Thibetan leaders have been massing their forces in the Kapup Valley, and are apparently meditating a night attack. A recent despatch from Calcutta stated that the defences of Gnatong, where the British are entrenched, were nearly complete. Additional strength is being given to the entrenched post at Shalambi, where a road from Bhotan joins the main route. This post will be held by a detachment of Pioneers. Fifty men of the 13th Bengal Infantry will occupy Lingtu. A message from the Viceroy of India, expressing appreciation of their services and sympathy with their many hardships has been published in orders, and has given general satisfaction to the troops. Colonel Bromhead and his gallant regiment of Pioneers will be left in sole occupation of Gnatong. They will be 800 strong, and two mountain guns will be attached to the regiment. The 13th Bengal Infantry will keep open the line of communication with the base.]

THE TOUR OF THE EMPEROR WILLIAM.

ARRIVAL AT COPENHAGEN.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Emperor William of Germany has arrived at Copenhagen from Stockholm.

ANNEXATION OF MASSOWAH BY ITALY.

DESPATCH TO THE EUROPEAN POWERS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

Signor Crispi, the Premier of Italy, has sent a despatch to the European Powers, notifying the annexation of Massowah by Italy. He accuses France of attempting to prevent Italian activity in Africa.

ITALY AND ZANZIBAR.

THE FREE CESSION OF KISMAYU.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Sultan of Zanzibar has offered to make full reparation to Italy for the action which he took in declining to grant a free cession of Kismayu, a town on the coast near Port Durnford.

The Italian Consul had suspended friendly relations with the Sultan, lowered his flag and summoned a man-of-war, in consequence of the action of the Sultan.

AGRARIAN MURDERS IN IRELAND.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

Two agrarian murders have been committed in Ireland—one at Listowel, in county Kerry, and the other at Kanturk, in county Cork.

STRIKE OF LABOURERS IN PARIS.

COLLISIONS WITH THE POLICE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

Eight thousand navvies have struck work in Paris. Fifty-three have been arrested for intimidation. Several collisions have taken place between the strikers and the police.

THE AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN IN ENGLAND.

THE MATCH AGAINST SURREY.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Australian Eleven commenced a match on the Kennington Oval to-day against Surrey.

The home team went in first, and at the adjournment for lunch they had lost five wickets for a total of 78 runs.

WRONGFUL ARREST IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

Mr. L. Clark, owner of Culpaulin Station, near Wilcannia, a passenger by the Melbourne train on Saturday morning, had an unpleasant experience, which may lead to litigation with the Government. After breakfast, at Murray Bridge, just before the train started, a detective from Adelaide arrested him, and charged him with being Major Clark, who with Frank Tarbon recently by cards won about £1300 from one Herman Koekoek. They returned Koekoek £500, and Tarbon was arrested in Victoria. Although Mr. Clark submitted his luggage, book accounts for squatting agents, and other papers, to show that the police had got the wrong person, he was locked up at Murray Bridge, and was not released until 2 in the afternoon. Meanwhile he telegraphed to Melbourne, and Mr. Fergusson, the Adelaide agent of Dalgety and Co., Limited, having heard of the circumstance, went around to the detective office and produced letters showing that Mr. Clark, a squatter, was coming over to Adelaide on business about a station. The Melbourne police wired that he was a passenger, upon which he was released. Mr. Clark has placed the matter in the hands of Messrs. G. and J. Downer, with a view to an action for damages. It is understood that Commissioner Peterswald was at Murray Bridge when the arrest was made.

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INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

Mr. C. W. Carr, P.M., of Avoca, died this afternoon after a short illness. He was a very old Civil servant, having been appointed goldfields commissioner in 1854, at Anderson Creek.

The carriage of stock by rail from New South Wales promises to prove an important item in the revenue returns of the railways. During Thursday and Friday last 13,000 sheep and 1200 head of cattle arrived from the Bourke district, 13 special stock trains conveying them. The total cost of trucking from Bourke to Sydney was £11 1s. 8d. per truck, and from Bourke to Melbourne £18 5s. 4d.

The postal authorities have made an arrangement by which all letters from Victoria to Europe by all routes will be conveyed at a uniform rate of 6d. per half-ounce.

The tender of J. Summerland has been accepted for the construction of engine and repairing sheds at Sandhurst for £21,090. Twelve tenders were sent in.

Amongst the passengers by the steamer Flinders, from Tasmania, due early to-morrow, is Mr. William Westgarth, of London, who is revisiting Melbourne after an absence of many years. He first landed at Port Phillip in 1840. He will be the guest of the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce at a banquet on Tuesday night.

Among the visitors to Melbourne are the members of the Adelaide Cathedral choir. The visit is due to the liberality of a gentleman in Adelaide who takes a great interest in church matters, especially as regards the efficient rendering of the musical portion of the church services, and he offered to bear the whole expense of their visit to Melbourne to witness the opening of the Exhibition.

Miss von Finkelstein delivered her eighteenth lecture in the Melbourne Town Hall to-night to a crowded audience. She will deliver her first lecture in Sydney next Monday. The Rev. Dr. Jefferis will be the chairman.

There is no fresh development so far as Melbourne is concerned as regards the threatened strike of seamen and stokers on the intercolonial steamers.

The ship General Picton, which was wrecked on the N.E. coast of Tasmania, was sold by auction to-day, together with the cargo by W. Duthie, for £1300, to Daniel Lumsden.

Two loaded trucks of a ballast train on the Cobram line were wrecked this morning, through coming in contact with a cow which had strayed on the line.

Rudolph Aloyse de Castella, son of Mr. Paul de Castella, of the Yering Vineyard, met with an accidental death on Saturday. While out riding he was seized with an epileptic fit, and fell off his horse into a pool of water and was smothered.

The strike of navvies at Bacchus Marsh has ended, all the men, including some newcomers, having returned to work.

The Clarke buildings at Trinity College, for which Sir William Clarke and Mr. Joseph Clarke provided the amount, were formally opened to-day in the presence of a large company. The Bishop of Melbourne presided.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

The barque Shalimar arrived yesterday from London. She experienced heavy weather up the coast. A seaman named Wm. Moonie was washed overboard on the 25th July and was drowned.

There is no further development of the bricklayers' strike. Neither party seems inclined to make any advance towards a settlement of the dispute.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews, of the Maloga Aboriginal Mission, assisted by two converted aborigines, addressed a fairly attended meeting to-night on their mission work among the blacks in Australia. A further meeting will be held to-morrow night with the view of endeavouring to establish a Queensland aboriginal mission.

A fire occurred in the Toowoomba Botanical Gardens this afternoon. Many valuable trees and shrubs were scorched and burnt. The whole western portion of the gardens was more or less ruined.

The steamship Duke of Argyle, from London to Brisbane, via ports, with over 400 immigrants, arrived at Thursday Island this morning, and sailed south in the afternoon. Thirty cases of measles occurred during the voyage, but all recovered.

The steamer Tartar, from Sydney to Hongkong, passed Thursday Island this morning.

TOWNSVILLE, MONDAY.

The Hon. John Douglas is a passenger for Brisbane by the Barcoo. He has about half an ounce of gold with him, part of which was washed in his presence at Sud Est Island. It is a fine sample of coarse gold, and of good colour. He states that the prospectors there are satisfied with the quality and character of the gold, but that the quantity obtainable does not justify any considerable expectations.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

This morning the Parliamentary train left Adelaide for Melbourne, conveying many members of Parliament and their wives. Amongst those who left were the Hons. T. Playford and C. C. Kingston, Ministers: Mr. J. V. O'Loughlan, M.L.C.; Mr. E. Ward, Chief Justice Way, Sir John Downer, Major-General Downes, and Dr. Cockburn.

His Excellency the Governor left by the afternoon express for Melbourne and at Murray Bridge, the Governor of New Zealand, Sir W. F. Jervois, joined the train. During the absence of Sir W. C. F. Robinson, in Victoria, Mr. Justice Bundey will be acting Governor.

A Frenchman named Francis Pettit, a resident of Port Adelaide, committed suicide to-day in a most deliberate manner. He was found lying across his bed, which had been drawn to the middle of the room, with his throat cut.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, MONDAY.

The discussion in Parliament on the Otago Central Railway Bill has been postponed till to-morrow, when it is expected a compromise will be effected.

The Native Minister leaves Wellington in a few days for Wangarei to settle the native dispute there.

The renewal of the mail contract via San Francisco will, it is believed, be successfully opposed in the House.

THE ATTACK ON THE VICTORIAN ASSEMBLY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

To-day the Premier received the following from the Agent-General:—" London, July 28. Rear-Admiral Field made an explanation in the House of Commons (according to the *Times*) amidst derisive laughter. He regretted the imputation he had cast on his fellow-members engaged in building up a greater Britain, and said that the conversation occurred seven years ago, and had reference to a time when the Parliamentary contest of the settlement of the land question prevailed."

THE ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO ROB A BANK AT TOWNSVILLE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TOWNSVILLE, MONDAY.

It is generally believed that the reported attempt to rob the Bank of North Queensland on Friday morning last was a delusion on the part of a bank official who slept in the premises, and who, it is presumed had an attack of nightmare, and fired the revolver while suffering from extreme nervousness and fright. Two policemen who were close to the bank state that only one shot was fired, and that they distinctly saw one flash. Marshall, the bank official, declares that he fired simultaneously with the supposed burglar. No trace whatever has been discovered of the man whom Marshall states he wounded.

THE WEATHER.

Yesterday the weather was again fine. Towards noon the atmosphere became quite warm, and it remained so nearly all the afternoon. The recent rains have freshened up vegetation. Rain was reported in the country as having fallen at 20 places, the largest record being at Mount Victoria. There was every appearance of a continuation of fine weather when we went to press.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, MONDAY.

The irritation caused by the operation of the border duties has been increased in some of the border townships by the new Victorian tariff, under which a duty of 2d. per pound is levied on meat. This has the effect of preventing New South Wales butchers from supplying customers on the other side of the river. It is proposed to hold a large meeting of farmers in the Howlong district to agitate for retaliating duties, modifying the original proposal for a general export duty on wool to a proposal to levy a wharfage rate on all wool sent over the Murray.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

Two deaths from typhoid have taken place in the hospital during the last day or two.

A meeting of the progress committee has been called for Wednesday, to consider the question of a water supply for the town.

Nice showers of rain have fallen.

GULGONG, MONDAY.

Mr. George Rouse, sen., of Beaudesert, died last night, after a very brief illness. He was 72 years of age, and was senior magistrate in the district. He will be buried at Windsor.

The weather is still dry, and very cold. Even if rain falls soon there will be only half the usual crops.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

An influential meeting of policy-holders in the A. M. P. Society was held on Friday night to discuss the pension proposals of the directorate. The Mayor (Mr. T. K. B. Mayne), who was in the chair, explained the position of the society in regard to the officers. On the motion of Dr. Knowles, seconded by Mr. P. J. Mahony, a resolution was unanimously carried,—" That, whilst disapproving of the action of the former directorate, the meeting supports the scheme of the present board."

The weather is still dry, and the consequences are likely to be serious. Prayers for rain have been offered up in the different churches.

NARANDERA, MONDAY.

Mr. Robert Mitchell, jun., of Bundigarie station, met with an accident on Saturday night, which terminated in his death last evening. He was proceeding home on horseback, and when near the showground was violently thrown, the supposition being that the horse shied.

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

Mr. William Dixon, acting manager of the Commercial Bank, died unexpectedly yesterday. He was much respected here.

The Wickham and Bullock Island miners have approved of the resolution to give 14 days' notice if the masters' proposals be not satisfactory.

The Newcastle coal trimmers met to-night. The press were not allowed to be present. The meeting is supposed to have been convened in connection with the approaching labour crisis.

ORANGE, MONDAY.

The remains of the late Mr. S. H. Isaacs, of Condobolin, were re-interred here yesterday.

WAGGA WAGGA, MONDAY.

At a meeting in the Town Hall, this evening, the Mayor in the chair, a resolution to invite the Governor and Lady Carrington and suite to visit Wagga during the show week, was unanimously carried. A committee was appointed to carry out the arrangements.

THE DISCOVERY OF KEROSENE SHALE NEAR LITHGOW.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LITHGOW, MONDAY.

The recent discovery of kerosene shale in the Marangaroo range has given a great impetus to prospecting in the district. Already two other finds of shale are reported, and specimens have been brought to town, but it is of inferior quality, being of a very stony nature.

THE SHEARING DIFFICULTY IN THE WEST.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

WALGETT, MONDAY.

Euroka station called the roll on Saturday. The manager declines to accept Union rules, and the shearers have struck work. The manager is still holding out. Dungalear station commenced shearing on a verbal agreement.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, MONDAY.

The following have passed through:—

For Melbourne (by express): His Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer, Miss Windeyer, Mr. Ald. Abigail, Mrs. J. Abigail, Mr. C. C. Skarrat, Mrs. J. H. Black child and nurse, Misses Black (2), Mr. and Mrs. W. Briggs, Miss Decent, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Killian, W. R. Rial, Messrs. James Howarth, W. F. Wright, W. Wilkins, Master Gunner, Griffiths, Bombardier Johnston, Bombardier Miller, J. Nicholson, Captain Charles, Mrs. Tarrant, Messrs. A. Gregory, M'Gregor, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Burdekin, M.L.A., Miss Brownlow, J. Marks, J. M. Purves, A. J. Riley, M.L.A., H. L. Hutchinson, Master O. J. M'Whinney, Miss Lamb, B. M'Arthur, P. T. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Smyth, R. Keys, W. Thompson, W. Inglis, A. Fullarton, M. M'Finn, Andrew Snadden, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bathurst, Mrs. W. Wilkins, Gabrielle Bianchini (Sydney), Mr. and Mrs. George Pile, Miss Grace Pile (Parramatta), J. M'Master, M.L.A., Miss M'Master (Queensland), Dr. H. Scott (Tuena), J. E. Hindley (New Zealand), Mrs. Finigan (North Shore), W. H. G. Marshall (Brisbane), Innes Ker (London), Dr. Morrison (Ballarat), F. A. Brodie (Brisbane), William Belfbin, M.H.A. (Hobart), Mrs. Fred Pinchott and child (Geelong), C. Barrett (St. Arnaud), Miss Evans, Mr. M'Pherson, E. Brandon, B. Hisk, R. Beckett, Bell, C. W. Baxter, W. A. Hunter, T. G. Forbes, S. Webbern (Melbourne), Mrs. R. Costin, Miss Costin, Mrs. J. H. Paine, H. Headley, Dennis Lally, G. E. M'Kay, Mrs. M'Kay, A. E. Fuller, J. Mathews, Mrs. C. Cookson, Thomas Affleck (Albury).

For Melbourne (by special excursion from Sydney, on Monday, at 8 p.m.): Mr. and Mrs. Farmer and family, G. W. Simons, Edwin O'Maley, G. Doughty, Morgan Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Morton, G. Chirnside, G. Williams, H. Jones, Thomas Buckwall, James Powney, G. Young, W. Mills, Mrs. Carn, Mrs. Foster, Antony Jacob, J. Proudwook, Mr. and Mrs. Beardamore, Miss Coombes, Mrs. M'Call, Mrs. Slattery, R. Bradshaw, G. Elliott, J. M'Millan, E. B. Jenkyn, Archibald Hepworth, Mr. and Mrs. Stock, Miss Leech, Jose Malouf, John Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. G. Christie, A. M'Swerney, Thomas Corbett, Mrs. Rideout and child, W. J. Miller, Mrs. Garlick, Joseph Freshwater, Miss Freshwater, H. Buchanan, C. Grocock, Miss M. Hogan, M. Connery, G. Spouncer, Robert Duncan, D. Norton, Mrs. Easy, Master Easy, R. J. Denneby, J. Ungher, A. Jarrett, J. F. Canavan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bayliss and child, G. Kego (Sydney), Miss Fitzpatrick (Balmain), Mrs. John Muir (Manning Heads), H. G. Lloyd (Dunedin), Mrs. Lindsay (Rosslyn Gardens), Miss A. Baldock (Petersham), Mrs. Brewer and child (Redfern), Mr. and Mrs. Morton (Brisbane), Mrs. Dyer, Miss Dyer (Burwood), Mrs. Ponder (Mittagong), Mrs. Taylor, Master and Miss Taylor (Woollahra), Mrs. W. A. Smith (Leichhardt), W. A. Menkens and son (Tenterfield), John Musson (Brisbane), F. Wylie (Bowral), J. Hawley, W. Hawley (Darlinghurst), F. Boffey (Sandhurst), L. J. Bracken (Melbourne), James Fagan (Wagga), Mr. and Mrs. Braim (Woollahra), H. O'Keefe (Darlington-road), J. Vaughan (Collingwood), Carl Poppelbaum (Forest Lodge), A. Ross Keesing (New Zealand), W. H. Fleming (Ashfield), Mrs. J. H. Ford (Redfern), J. R. Sellars (Mudgee), C. R. Winstone (Balmain), Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Chambers, Miss Carrie Chambers (Petersham), W. J. Carter (Leichhardt), J. Taylor (Auckland).

For Melbourne (by ordinary on Monday): Mr. George Evans (Sydney).

For Sydney (by ordinary, Monday): H. S. Beveridge (Corowa), H. M'Kenzie (Sydney), Frank Faron (San Francisco.

For Sydney (by express on Monday): F. G. J. Vesey (Holderness), Mrs. Laura Wilson, Wm. Wiley, George C. Ball, E. E. Elliott, H. Love, J. H. Fry, J. H. Geddes, M. T. Hill (Sydney), Andrew Loughnan, W. Elison, E. Holt, T. F. Cumming, Jack Burke, W. B. Thompson, Captain Walker, Mrs. D. B. Scott, C. G. Smithe, J. Nicholson (Melbourne), Mrs. Heath and child, Mrs. Fred. Frith (Malvern), A. R. Keats (Adelaide), R. A. Bull (Footscray), John Ferguson, Thomas Hancock (Clunes), Mr. and Mrs. W. Pearce and 2 children (Bathurst), R. Komsky (South Poland), J. Richmond (Toorak), F. A. Davenport (Woollahra), Rev. F. Elder (Castle Hill).

TENTERFIELD, MONDAY.

For Sydney: J. Senducos (Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs Dulham (London), David Moses (Tenterfield), Herbert Spencer.

For Brisbane: Dr. and Mrs. M'Gregor (London), David Logan (Broken Hill), G. A. Allen (Queensland), Rev. J. Hulme (Tenterfield), Sir Samuel Griffith (Brisbane).

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, MONDAY.

The following stock movements are reported:—56 fat cattle from Bomen for Melbourne, T. Matthews and Co.; 100 fat pigs from Sydney for Melbourne, W. Hill; 144 fat cattle from Junee for Melbourne, Chenery Brothers.

TAMBO (Q.), MONDAY.

Stock Movements: 1200 store bullocks from Lorneleigh, Cape River to Dubbo, Hugh Mosman owner; 700 mixed cattle from Bulli Creek to Moorlands, Blackall, Murray Prior, owner C. L. Penny; 1060 cows from Cork to Burenda, Darling Downs, Western Land Company owners.

WISEMAN'S FERRY, MONDAY.

The stock crossings to-day from Terilleroy, Big River, for Homebush, were 2000 fat sheep, Mr. W. Moses owner.

MARITIME DISPUTE.

MATTERS APPROACHING A CRISIS.

Matters pertaining to the Maritime labour dispute appear to be approaching a crisis, and serious complications are feared throughout the shipping community. What is termed the maritime dispute is really one involving three different points, as before referred to in this journal. These are the difficulties between the Maritime Trades Unions and the Steamship Owners' Association, the China Steamship Companies, and the San Francisco steamers. The objects sought by the unions are the abolition of Chinese labour, the employment of Australian seamen, and the enforcement of what are claimed to be recognised union rates of wages, hours of labour, and overtime pay. It does not appear that all of these objects are contended for in each case, but these various points of the dispute are being strives for as they have arisen in the branches of our mercantile marine abovementioned. With regard to the China Steamship Companies, there does not seem to be a very serious position of affairs as yet. So far as the Gibb line is concerned, we are informed that the company have decided to replace Chinese with European labour as soon as arrangements can be made. This action is being taken more on account of the restrictions placed by the Government on the bringing of Chinese to Australian ports and the penalties attaching to companies allowing them to escape. Other companies, we believe, have referred the matter to their home offices, and the subject will no doubt be dealt with in due time. The other two points of the dispute, however, present a more serious aspect The Steamship Owners' Association and the Federated Seamen's Union cannot arrive at a settlement of a dispute which arose some time ago at Auckland. A prominent member of the Federated Seamen's Union, on being interviewed last evening by a representative of the *Sydney Morning Herald*, thus explained the causes of the dispute from the union point of view:—He said on the 26th July, 1887, the Northern Steamship Company "locked out" the members of the Seamen's Union at Auckland. This was because the seamen refused to agree to a reduction of £1 per month in wages and in overtime. The men were receiving £7 per month and overtime, which amounted to 16s. per man per month. The Union offered to refer the matter to arbitration, but they declined to agree to this arrangement. They then started to run an opposition line of vessels in September following. This line was called the Jubilee S. S. Company, and the vessels comprising the fleet were the s.s. Bellinger, Stormbird, and Planet. They ran at regular intervals of twice a week, and continue so to run up to the present time. Since the commencement of the struggle between the Seamen's Union and the Northern S. S. Company the latter have become affiliated with the Steamship Owners Association. This is shown from their own admissions; and, furthermore, they have been subsidised by the association. About five weeks ago the Northern S. S. Company offered the Union certain terms, but when they were requested to commit those terms to writing the Union were referred by them to the Steamship Owners' Association of Sydney for their decision. The Seamen's Union then asked for a conference with a view of settling the matter, but this they declined. Subsequently the Steamship Owners' Association received a deputation at which certain proposals were formulated by them, and which were subsequently committed to writing. The Steamship Owners' Association are fighting the battle connected with the questions of wages and overtime. The Seamen's Union are contending for the eight-hour system. The Steamship Owners' Association is composed of companies represented all over Australasia, and likewise the Federal Seamen's Union are represented throughout Australasia. The rates of wages, hours of labour, and other rules have been mutually agreed to in 1884 at a conference held at the Town Hall, Sydney. All the union men are asking for is the maintenance of the old order of things. The union even now wish to meet the association in conference fairly and squarely over a table, but the union cannot consent to an arbitration. The seamen want the Northern S. S. Company to comply with the same rules which are recognised by the other companies throughout Australasia. The seamen consider that the association are trying to make this dispute with the Northern Steamship Company the means whereby a new order of things may be introduced generally. From the steamship owners' point of view the difficulty is recognised as a serious matter, but they claim that throughout the whole affair they have dealt with the question in a conciliatory spirit, and have exhibited a strong desire to arrive at a peaceful settlement of the Northern S.S. Co. difficulty and a number of other questions requiring adjustment. They consider that the results of former conferences show the uselessness of such a step at present. They think, however, arbitration would be fair to both parties concerned. They point out that whereas on July 23 the Seamen's Union expressed a willingness to arbitrate on the same subjects, other than the Northern S.S. Co.'s dispute, they suddenly shifted their position to discuss any other subject but that originally suggested, concluding with a threat which they consider unwarrantable. It is thought that the steamship owners may, if driven to it, take steps to place themselves in a position more secure from complications such as the present than have hitherto been adopted.

The following official correspondence, which has been passing between the Steamship Owners' Association and the Union on the dispute, has been supplied:—

"Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia,
"Sydney, May 28, 1888.
"The Secretary Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia.

"Sir,—I am directed by the various branches of this association in Australasia to bring before your members for their consideration the following proposition, viz.: 'That a Conference, consisting of an equal number of delegates from both associations, meet with the view of bringing to a termination the struggle at present existing between one of the companies of your association—the Northern Steamship Company of Auckland—and our body.'

"As we have been, and we believe correctly, informed that your association are assisting the Northern S. S. Company of Auckland by pecuniary aid to crush that branch of this society, we have decided to request that some understanding be arrived at prior to our pursuing a different course from the one hitherto followed.

"Hoping that some speedy solution of the difficulty may be arrived at,

"I remain your obedient servant,
"THOS. M. DAVIS, Sec. of Federation."

"Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia,
"Sydney, 16th June, 1888.
"The Secretary Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia, 88, Sussex-street.

"Sir,—In reference to your communication of 28th ultimo, in which you propose that a conference, consisting of an equal number of delegates from your union and this association, should be held with a view of bringing to a termination the dispute at present existing at Auckland, I am instructed to inform you that the members of this association are not prepared to enter upon a conference as suggested, believing that no satisfactory result would be thereby arrived at.

"I am, however, to inform you that should your union be prepared to enter on a general arbitration upon all existing differences and disputes between the various members of the association and your union, the decisions of such arbitration to be binding upon both parties for a term of years, with a money penalty, this association will be willing to do so, feeling confident that this is the only practical way of dealing with any existing differences.

"I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
"J. W. FERGUSON, Secretary."

"Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia,
"Sydney, 16th July, 1888.
"The Secretary Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia, 88, Sussex-street.

"Sir,—In reference to my letter of 16th ultimo, in which I made a proposal on behalf of this association to refer to a general arbitration all existing differences and disputes between this association and your union, I would remind you that, although a month has elapsed, I have not yet been favoured with a reply.

"I am instructed to communicate again with you, and say that, unless you are in a position to furnish me with the decision of the union without further loss of time, the association will withdraw the offer made in the letter referred to above, presuming that your union does not desire to take any steps in the matter.

"I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,
"J. W. FERGUSON, secretary."

"Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia,
"Sydney, July 23, 1888.
"The Secretary Australasian Steamship Owners' Association.

"Dear Sir,—Referring to the verbal proposal ... sold ... to us at our interview on Wednesday last, ... promised to commit to writing, I am instru... ... submitted ference of Delegates now sitting to draw ... which you the length of time that has elapsed ... by the Con- and also to the fact that the various dele... your attention to been commissioned by their respectiv... ... that interview, about some definite settlement of the ... assembled have pany's dispute. Your association ha... branches to bring your hands, it is necessary that ... Northern S. S. Com- soon as possible. In the meant... ... the settlement in mutually agreed on upon the foll... arrive at a decision as ment of our members in the ve... ... an armistice may be Company, on the condition ... ... basis;—*Re* employ- scheme for arbitration for the ... of the Northern S. S. matters, such as the complex ... previous to the lock-out; a be immediately arranged. All settlement of that and minor your association not be ... of hands to be carried, can this conference to devi... Should further proposals from accordance with the ex... forthcoming, it will be the duty of federation. Trusting ... some other mode of action in settlement arrive, ... wishes of the members of the ... that an early reply and a speedy

"THOS. ...
... I am, yours respectfully,
"Steamsh... M. DAVIS, Secretary of Federation."

"The Secretary F... Owners' Association of Australasia,
"Sydney, 24th July, 1888.
"Sir,—I am in re... Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia, having reference to ... 88, Sussex-street. ... nesday last at this ... receipt of your favour of yesterday's date, tion and representative ... meeting which took place on Wed- "As arranged at the ... between members of this associa- ... of your union. ... meeting referred to, I now beg to lay before you the proposals of this association, as to the matters to be submitted to arbitration:—The settlement of the Northern S.S. Company's dispute. The association claims that there shall be no overtime at tidal ports and bar harbours, or while handling live stock; and that all matters, in connection with the present overtime system, which may be brought forward by members of this association be adjusted and settled by arbitration. That time for time be allowed by the men at other ports, eight hours work only to be done in the 24 hours for the ordinary wages, overtime to be paid for extra. That an appointment be jointly made of a board of experts, to whom the adjustment of labour in the stokeholds, and all matters connected with the firemen, trimmers, and greasers, will be left for final decision.

"I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
"J. W. FERGUSON, Secretary."

"Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia,"
"Sydney, July 25, 1888.
"The Secretary S. S. Owners' Association of Australasia.

"Dear Sir,—I beg leave to acknowledge yours of the 24th instant, which was submitted to the delegates of the various branches of this federation. I have been instructed to respectfully decline any scheme of arbitration which has not for its basis the maintenance of existing rates of wages, overtime, and hours of labour.

"As the proposal submitted by you does not refer to the dispute existing at present between the N. S. S. Company and us alone, but brings in other issues, notably a direct attack upon the eight-hour system, which is so dear to all Australian workers, and which, at all hazards, we will maintain on behalf of ourselves and our co-workers ashore.

"I am, therefore, desired to say, in reference to overtime, that in no case do we desire to work any, but if you insist on us working such we demand the existing rate of pay. As we are confident the difficulty with the Northern S. S. Company would have been settled ere this but for the intervention of A. S. S. O. Association, we now hold that body responsible for the existing dispute, and shall take such retaliatory measures by forming alliances and otherwise as may persuade the S. S. O. Association to induce the N. S. S. Company to conform to the rates of wages, hours of labour, &c., and which shipping companies cheerfully pay to their employees. Awaiting your response till Friday, the 27th, noon, prior to any further action being taken,

"I remain, yours respectfully,
("Signed) T. M. DAVIS, Secretary of Federation."

"Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia,
"Sydney, 26th July, 1888.
"The Secretary, Federated Seaman's Union of Australasia, 88, Sussex-street.

Sir,—I am instructed by this association to acknowledge receipt of your favour of 25th instant, and to inform you that the association never intimated any intention of introducing the question of the eight-hour system into the proposed arbitration. The association, on the contrary, at the present time recognises the eight-hour system, as also the rate of wages.

"If you would kindly peruse my letter of 24th instant you will observe that overtime, under certain conditions, is considered irksome and unfair by members of the association; also, that the adjustment of labour in the stockholds should be brought forward and settled upon some fair basis.

"The settlement of the dispute with the Northern S.S. Company would be the first business to be undertaken.

"I shall be glad if you will finally intimate whether you accede to the arbitration proposals or otherwise.

"I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
J. W. FERGUSON, Secretary."

"Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia,
"Sydney, July 27th, 1888,
"J. W. Ferguson, Esq., Secretary A. S. S. Association.

"Dear Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of yours dated 26th, requesting a final reply to your proposals. Having perused yours of the 24th, we are still of the opinion that a direct attack upon the eight hours' system is intended, and as you decline to settle the dispute between us excepting by arbitration, which we have already declined, I am instructed to inform you that upon a given date all labour will be withdrawn from vessels of your association.

"While deeply regretting the necessity of taking such extreme measures, we respectfully submit that owing to the aggressive proposals received from your association, this step is forced upon us.

"I have the honour to be faithfully yours,
"(Signed) GEORGE SANGSTER, Chairman of Federation."

"Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia,
"Sydney, 30th July, 1888.
"The Chairman Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia, 88, Sussex-street.

"Sir,—This association was much surprised at the contents of your letter dated 27th instant, and can only reiterate their already clearly-expressed desire of not interfering in any way whatever with the eight-hours system at the proposed arbitration.

"The association would point out the very serious losses and complications which must ensue should you continue your refusal to arbitrate upon the minor differences now existing, and the members of the association trust that you will fully reconsider your intended action in withdrawing your men from the steamers of the association, as such action can only result in great loss and suffering to the whole community.

"I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
"(Signed) J. W. FERGUSON, Secretary.

"P.S.—As it is desirable that the public should be made acquainted with the facts of the case, I am handing to the press copies of this correspondence.

"(Signed) J. W. F."

With regard to the dispute of the Maritime Labour Council and the Oceanic S.S. Company, matters are by no means in a satisfactory condition. The demands of the Council, as previously announced, were referred by Captain Hayward, of the s.s. Mariposa, to Mr. Spreckles, owner, at San Francisco. A cablegram was received yesterday in reply, but as the matter has to be dealt with at so great a distance, and under many circumstances quite different from any which are familiar to American shipowners, we understand that another cablegram was sent on the same subject. The answer to this is expected to-day. We understand if the owners finally decide to resist the demands of the Union, Captain Haytoun will probably seek the aid of the Government to preserve order, and the immunity of his men from interruption, through Mr. G. N. Griffin, U. S. Consul. The stoppage of the work of discharging the s.s. Mariposa, pending Mr. Spreckles' final answer, pursuant to the demands of the Union, has naturally caused much inconvenience to consignees.

A meeting of consignees who have cargo in the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company's R.M.S. Mariposa took place yesterday in the office of Mr. G. W. Griffin, United States Consul, to decide upon the best means of landing goods from the vessel, and to generally discuss the present unfortunate situation in which they were placed. Several firms were represented. Mr. G. W. Griffin acted as chairman, and Mr. Clifford (of Messrs. Clifford, Moore, and Co.) was appointed secretary. After the chairman had briefly stated the purport of the gathering, he called upon Captain Hayward, the commander of the Mariposa, to state to the meeting what he knew of the difficulty, and what steps he would suggest or like the meeting to take. Captain Hayward readily acquiesced, and recapitulated to a considerable extent what has already been made public, but went on to say that he had already guaranteed to the Maritime Council that he would, on arriving in San Francisco, discharge his Chinese labour and ship white men. This the captain considered to be a very fair offer. It was made with permission of Mr. Spreckles, and in good faith. However, the Maritime Council seemed to think otherwise, and would not entertain for one moment any such terms as those proposed by the captain. Upon receipt of the following notice from the council, Captain Hayward ceased to discharge any more cargo:—" From the Maritime Labour Council of New South Wales. Dear Sir,—I am instructed by this council to inform you that should any attempt be made on the part of your crew or black-leg labour to discharge the cargo now on board your ship, all further negotiations will from that time cease, and no member of an affiliated body will assist in coaling or doing any work to forward your shi... departure from this port on this or any futur... during the present mail contract.—I am ... occasion servant, THOMAS M. DAVIS, secr... your obedient Hayward." Captain Hayward ... To Captain received a message from hi... further stated that he had a fuller statement ... owners, but that they required and consequently ... how the matter really stood, tents of the ... present he could not divulge the contents ultimatum ... message already received. However, an reach Syd... from Mr. Spreckles would in all probability that M... ney to-day, and he was rather inclined to think Mr. ... Spreckles would resist the terms advanced by the Maritime Council. In answer to a question, Captain Hayward stated that news had reached San Francisco regarding the Alameda trouble prior to the Mariposa sailing. The Mariposa sailed on Sunday, 1st instant, and a message was received from Sydney on the Thursday previous; but at that time the Mariposa's crew had all been shipped, and had signed articles, consequently it was not likely that they would be dismissed without their full pay for the round voyage; and, furthermore, Mr. Spreckles was away from San Francisco at the time, and could not be communicated with immediately, and the mails having arrived from New York, there was no alternative but for the vessel to sail. The matter, he maintained, had now far exceeded the limits of the Chinese question. Captain Hayward thought that if 40 men could be got together, the work of discharging could, with the assistance of the crew, be easily accomplished. A general discussion ensued, suggestions were made, and several gentlemen intimated that they would stand by the captain, and if needs be assist by taking off their coats. An hour's deliberation resulted in Mr. R. W. Finlayson (H. P. Gregory and Co.) proposing the following resolution:—" That all present pledge themselves to assist in every possible way Captain Hayward to get his ship away in time." Mr. Kron (of Kron and Co., of San Francisco) seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously. It was also pointed out that the consignees intended to assist the captain in this difficulty beyond the mere matter of getting their cargo out of the vessel. The meeting then adjourned pending the message expected from Mr. Spreckles.

A special general meeting of the Seamen's Union was held last evening at Maritime Hall, Sussex-street. The press were excluded, but it is supposed that the recent letter of the Steamship Owners' Association was discussed, and a sum of money voted in connection with the present difficulty. An important meeting of the conference will be held to-day.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE INDUSTRIAL BLIND INSTITUTION.

Last night at the Industrial Blind Institution, Boomerang-street, a vocal and instrumental concert was given by the blind workers of the institution, the proceeds to be devoted towards the sick fund. The unfortunate sightless people who derive their means of livelihood from the above institution, are paid only for the time they are actually at work, thus in the case of sickness a worker would be entirely dependent upon assistance from friends. To meet this difficulty a sick fund was established amongst themselves about 12 months back for the express purpose of relieving any of their number who might fall sick, and to replenish this fund was the object of the entertainment. The president, the Hon. Sir Alfred Stephen, G.C.M.G., C.B., presided, and there was a large audience. After the president had given a brief speech, in which he detailed the object of the concert, proceedings commenced with an overture, entitled "The Fountain Vale Waltz," by the I. B. I. Brass Band, the good qualities of which are so well known that it needs no comment. Miss Newman, in her song and chorus, "Sweet chiming bells" and "The fisherman's child," elicited a large share of appreciation; and the duet, "Larboard Watch, Ahoy," by Miss Newman and Mr. G. Allen, was well worthy the applause it received. Mr. W. Mille also rendered, with considerable effect, a recitation, entitled "Progress of Madness," and amongst others worthy of mention were Mr. W. Ruddington's comic songs "A parent's eccentricities" and "I'll beat you more for that"; song, Mr. A. Allen, "Anchored"; song, Mr. T. Fellew, "They all love Jack"; and a piano and violin duet, by Messrs. Fearon and Milroy. The concert throughout was a very enjoyable one. During the evening the sum of £12 5s. was collected.

THE ALHAMBRA.

Another exceedingly attractive programme was presented at the Alhambra Music Hall yesterday evening, and was received with much applause by a crowded audience. As usual, the first part of the entertainment was devoted to minstrelsy, and comprised a number of favourite ballads and comic songs. Messrs. W. and H. Cottier made their first appearance, and rendered two songs—"Bric-a-Bac" and "Fat, Fair, and Forty"—in capital style. Miss Amy Blackie also made her first appearance, and sang a pretty little ballad entitled "He'll be back by-and-bye." Two ballads—"Magic Music," by Miss Beatrice James; and "Come, buy my Flowers," by Miss Florence Schuler, were much enjoyed by the audience. The comic songs, "Billy Upperdip," sung by Mr. T. Delowery, and "I Couldn't," sung by Mr. A. James, were loudly encored. "The Coons' Salvation Army" made an amusing finale to the first part. After the usual interval the second portion of the programme was commenced, and afforded full scope for the specialities of several members of the company. Messrs. Delowery, Craydon, and Holland contributed an amusing song and dance, and were repeatedly recalled. Mr. A. James gave two character songs, which were fully appreciated by the audience. The Cottiers rendered the "Two Sarahs," an amusing song and dance, which was loudly encored, after which Miss Levyno gave a song and dance entitled "Going to be Married next Sunday." Mr. Harry Hastings sang "Waiting," a comic song, and was deservedly recalled. He then sang "Australia for Australians," a patriotic song, which was loudly applauded. The entertainment, which was thoroughly enjoyed, concluded with a laughable farce by the Cottiers, entitled "Blinks and Jinks." The programme will be repeated each evening throughout the week, and should not fail to attract large audiences.

There was a large attendance last evening at the Crystal Palace Skating Rink. There is a great demand for tickets for the forthcoming Carnival next Wednesday week. Mr. Wyburd announces that some of the novelties he has in hand will surpass anything that has been done in Sydney. A prismatic snowstorm and rainfall will be produced at considerable expense.

A polo match on skates took place at St. George's Hall, Newtown, last evening, between the St. George's Hall team and the City Rink team. The teams selected were:—St. George's Hall: Messrs. Cadman, Rosier, Daly, Mears, Hamburg, Kron, and Schultze, with Mr. C. George as judge. City Rink: Messrs. Galloway, Killian, March, Cowie, Flynn, Giddings, Thompson, with Mr. Cuddy as judge. The match, which was well contested, resulted in a win for the City by six goals to four.

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards: July 30, Rodondo (s.), 715 tons, Captain W. S. Seymour, for Brisbane; Burwah (s.), 568 tons, Captain W. Ellis, for Melbourne; Gambier (s.), 1050 tons, Captain R. R. Brown, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Burrumbeet (s.), 1561 tons, Captain G. Tait, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Oceanien (s.), 2667 tons, Captain G. Didier, for Marseilles, via ports; R.M.S. Arcadia, 3349 tons, Captain W. B. Andrews, for London, via ports; Cintra (s.), 1175 tons, Captain J. Banks, for Melbourne; Gunga (s.), 296 tons, Captain D. Calder, for Fiji and Noumea; Warrego (s.), 867 tons, Captain T. A. Lake, for Cooktown, via ports; Eurimbla (s.), 398 tons, Captain J. Selmes, for Rockhampton, via ports; Marshall S., schooner, 179 tons, Captain W. Wolsch, for Solomon Islands; Louis Eugene, barque, 489 tons, Captain H. Le Normant, for Mauritius; Otago, barque, 349 tons, Captain Korzentowski, for Mauritius.

The following notice was posted at the Custom House yesterday:—Wednesday, 1st proximo, having been proclaimed a bank holiday, no general business will be transacted at the Custom-House, but by special arrangement with the Collector previously, Vessels will be cleared and other urgent matters attended to.

The following passengers are booked by the Orient Company's R.M.S. Ormuz, Captain A. Charlton, to leave at 1 p.m. to-day for London, via ports:—From Sydney to London: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Young and child, Mr. and Mrs. Frudd, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Southam, Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Padbury, Mrs. Knipe, Mrs. B. S. Wills, Mrs. Dutton, Mrs. S. Lynch, Mrs. A. A. Cooper, Mrs. Townsend 2 children and infant, Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. M'Gowan, Mrs. Postans and infant, Mrs. M'Clure and child, Miss Hutchinson, Misses Franks (2), Miss E. Elkington, Miss Kielty, Miss Olney, Miss Parsons, Miss E. Baldock, Miss E. Swain, Mr. G. P. Hadley, Captain Bethge, Mr. W. B. Phillips, Mr. W. Hardy, Mr. Lincoln, Mr. G. M. Phillips, Mr. Haig, Hon. S. Finch-Hatton, Dr. Goodall, Messrs. W. Newton, M. Moss, J. Dwyer, Berkett, Harper, A. Stewart, J. L. Jacob, S. D. Downer, A. J. Gaze, E. Treloar. For Melbourne: Hon. and Mrs. R. H. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crane and child, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Cox, Miss Harrison, Miss Laver, Miss M'Intosh, Miss E. Sharp, Rev. Mr. Newcomb, Messrs. Branch, G. Couch, F. R. Newcomb, Parkinson, W. Green, Fryer, Marshall, W. Lawrence, H. E. Jones, Masters Bell (3), Mr. Ogilvy. For Adelaide: Miss Hill, Messrs. P. Kelly, J. M'Kenzie, J. Roberts, T. Masonah. From Adelaide, for London: Mr. Ted Mercer.

The steamer Wellington crossed the Port Macquarie bar at 12.15 p.m. on the 29th instant, and arrived in Sydney at 6.30 a.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced moderate S.W. winds and fine weather throughout the passage. Cargo: 822 bags maize, 41 hides, 91 pigs, 2 coops poultry, 11 cases eggs, 22 bags sugar, 22 pieces cedar, 3 casks tallow, and sundries.

The steamer Gambier left Melbourne at 3 p.m. on the 27th instant, and arrived at Gabo Island at 11.30 p.m. on the 28th instant, landed cargo, and received passengers, left again at 2 a.m. on the 29th, and arrived in Sydney at 5.30 a.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced light easterly winds to Gabo Island, thence light N.W. winds to arrival.

The steamer Eurimbla left Brisbane at 5 p.m. on the 28th instant, and entered the Heads at 1 p.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout.

The steamer Warrego left Melbourne at 3 p.m. on the 28th, cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5.45 p.m. same day; rounded Wilson's Promontory 2 a.m. on the 29th, and entered the Heads at 1 p.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced light to moderate variable winds and fine weather the whole way.

The steamer Burrumbeet left Melbourne at 2.35 p.m. on the 28th instant, and entered the Heads at 1.15 p.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Oceana left Suez for Australian ports on the evening of the 27th instant. The Oceana brings mails and files, and a large miscellaneous cargo.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Valetta, hence to London, via the usual ports, arrived at Plymouth on Friday afternoon last.

A telegram from the Brunswick River, dated the 30th instant and posted at the Post Office yesterday, stated "that the ketch White Cloud, when coming in yesterday, grounded on the north Rocky Beach. She is still aground and full of water. The crew have abandoned her." The White Cloud was a ketch of 35 tons register, 63ft. long, 16ft. beam, and 5ft. 3in. depth of hold. She was built at Sydney in 1869, and was owned by Messrs. Moses and Salamon.

The barque Brunette, owned by Mr. J. C. Ellis, arrived off the Semaphore, Adelaide, yesterday, but was ordered on to Melbourne.

The barque Clifton, which put into port on Friday short of water, when bound from Mercury Bay to Melbourne, resumed her voyage yesterday; she cleared the Heads at 8.55 a.m. The barque ... had a decided list to starboard.

The whaling barque Alaska has just had a complete overhaul in Fitzroy Dock. It will be remembered that the barque, prior to her making the port, was leaking, but it was where the leak was not definitely known, and in order to find out, she was filled full of water, and then docked, when it was discovered that one or two planks were worm-eaten. These were taken out and renewed, and the hull otherwise attended to. The repairs have been executed under the direction of Mr. James Allan, of Balmain.

The steamer Wairarapa arrived last night from Auckland, which port she left at 5.30 p.m. on the 24th instant, called at Russell on the 25th, and left the same day, and entered the Heads at 8 p.m. Experienced strong westerly winds the whole way, accompanied for the first three days by a very heavy head sea.

The steamer Kent of Messrs. Money Wigram and Company's line, bound from London to Sydney via ports, put into Cape Town with her propeller broken. Our cablegram, which has been detained, further states that she would probably sail again on the 30th instant.

The steamer Rodondo left Melbourne at 2.15 p.m. on the 28th instant, passed Gabo Island at 9.50 p.m. on the 29th instant, and arrived in port last night. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout.

The Marine Board met yesterday afternoon to enquire into the state of the ketch Australia, which left port in November last for the South Sea Islands and has not since been heard of. The board found that the vessel was thoroughly seaworthy and well found, no evidence being adduced to show why she did not reach her destination.

A telegram from Macleay Heads yesterday stated that when the ketch Envy was being towed out by the tug Belmore during the morning, the line parted and the vessel went ashore on the South Spit. Her position had not altered at 6 p.m.

The barque Orellana was yesterday taken to Anderson's Dry Dock, Johnston's Bay.

The barque Otago was yesterday towed from the Gasworks to a berth at the Railway Wharf.

Yesterday Clarence Heads reported 16ft. of water on the bar at high tide, and the beacons in a line.

The schooner Sir Henry arrived at Nambucca Heads from Brisbane at noon yesterday.

The steamer Ghazee, bound from Melbourne to Newcastle, passed Jervis Bay at 1 p.m. yesterday.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Menmuir arrived in port yesterday from Hongkong with a full cargo of Eastern merchandise for Sydney and Melbourne, and upon being granted pratique she came up to a berth at the company's wharf, Miller's Point. Perhaps the most noticeable feature in the Menmuir's arrival on this occasion is the fact that she has no Chinese passengers on board. Every one will remember the prominent part that the steamer played in the late anti-Chinese agitation. It will also be remembered that she took back some of Chinese to Hongkong, who were all landed at their destination safely. By many it was thought there would have been a scene upon their arrival in China, but such, however, was not the case—if anything there was less animation than usual observed on the occasion. The Menmuir has arrived in first-rate order, and she has brought several European passengers, many of whom joined the ship at Port Darwin, and some of whom are proceeding to Melbourne. Very little can be reported of the voyage. Captain Hemas states that the Menmuir took her departure from Hongkong on July 2, called at Macoa, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, and Brisbane, and arrived in port at noon. Experienced strong head winds, with heavy rain, from Macoa until clear of the Basilian Straits, thence to port strong head winds and fine weather. The winds, however, took off as the steamer came south.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Rome, hence to London via ports, left the Semaphore at 4 p.m. yesterday.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Guthrie, inward bound from Hongkong, left Port Darwin at 6.45 a.m. yesterday.

The steamer Menmuir, when in lat. 12.21 S. and long. 143.43 E., on the 22nd instant, spoke the schooner Sovereign, bound north. She was in the vicinity of No. 2 Claremont Island.

The C. and R. R. S. N. Company's steamer Tomki, which put back to port on Sunday with a portion of her machinery damaged, was taken to Mort's Engineering Works yesterday, where she will have all repairs effected, besides which the Tomki will receive a general overhaul.

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

Vessel and Rig.	Where from.	Date of Sailing.	Remarks.
Adam W. Spies ... sh	Boston	—	To sail June 10
Afghan ... s	Foochow	—	To sail July 27
Australasian ... s	London	—	To sail July 17
Alex. Lawrence ... bq	Liverpool	June 14	
Ardencluthe ... sh	New York	May 18	
Atalanta ... sh	London	—	
Alice Muir ... bq	Honolulu	May 7	
Angerton ... s	London	—	To sail July 10
Bayley ... s	London	June 13	
Ben Cruachan ... sh	London	—	Loading
Bay of Cadiz ... sh	London	June 7	
Bay of Bengal ... sh	London	—	To sail July 20
Bhundarra ... s	Calcutta	—	Loading
Brilliant ... sh	London	June 18	
Blackadder ... bq	London	—	To sail June 20
Brenhilda ... sh	London	—	To sail June 28
Colwyn ... bq	Liverpool	—	Loading
Coromandel, P. & O. s	London	—	To sail June 28
Criemhilde ... bq	Hamburg	—	Loading
Cicero ... bq	Antwerp	—	To sail June 20
Cuzco ... O. ss	London	June 23	
Carnarvon Castle ... sh	Liverpool	May 14	
Cambr'n Duchess sh	London	June 14	
Carthage, P. & O. s	London	June 23	
Coringa ... sh	New York	June 8	
Cynosure ... bq	Hamburg	May 14	
Cutty Sark ... sh	London	May 17	
Caledonien, M. ... ss	Marseilles	June 27	
Carl Haasted ... bq	Drammen	—	To sail June 11
Changsha ... s	Hongkong	—	To sail July 18
Chingtu (s.) ... s	Hongkong	—	To sail July 30
Crofton Hall ... sh	London	—	Loading
Dallam Tower ... sh	Glasgow	April 24	
Damascus ... s	London	June 28	
Deveron ... sh	London	—	To sail June 20
Dora Ann ... bq	Astoria	Feb. 11	
Duke of Dev'nshire s	London	June 16	
Don ... bq	Glasgow	—	To sail July 11
Excelsior ... bq	Buff	—	Sailed prior July 2
Farval ... sch	Humboldt Bay	—	Loading
Firth of Cromarty sh	Glasgow	—	To sail July 11
Firth of Forth ... bq	Glasgow	—	To sail June 27
Florence Treat ... bq	Puget Sound	—	To load
Geo. Thompson ... sh	Puget Sound	—	To load
Glamis ... sh	Sharpness	May 27	
Gulf of Venice ... s	London	—	To sail May 31
Gretna ... sh	Puget Sound	June 14	
Haddon Hall ... sh	Liverpool	April 28	
Hannover ... bq	Hamburg	June 3	
Hankow ... s	London	June 1	
Harold ... sh	Glasgow	June 5	
H'staufen, G. N. L. s	Bremen	—	
Hubbuck ... s	London	—	At Melbourne
Howrah ... sh	Hamburg	—	Loading June 1
Inchkeith ... sh	Glasgow	May 20	
Illawarra ... sh	London	May 28	
James Liversey ... sh	Burrard's Inlt.	—	Loading
Jennie B. ... bq	Puget Sound	—	To load
Jessie ... sch	Auckland	June 26	
Kent ... s	London	June 26	
Kosciusko ... bq	San Francisco	—	Loading May 1
King Malcolm ... bq	Glasgow	June 20	
Lady Mabel ... sch	Auckland	June 29	Via Whangaroa
Lookout ... sch	Auckland	June 12	
Loch Trool ... bq	London	May 5	
Linda Weber ... sch	Auckland	July 5	Via Whangaroa
Lismore ... sh	London	May 6	
Largo Law ... sh	London	June 21	
Lusitania ... O. s.s	London	July 6	
Margarethe ... sh	Frederickstadt	May 29	
Massilia ... P & O ss	London	June 14	At Melbourne
M'Leod ... sh	London	May 5	
Melusine ... bq	Puget Sound	May 13	
Muriel ... bq	Boston	May 1	
Martha ... sh	Puget Sound	—	To load
Miltiades ... sh	London	May 30	
Neptune ... bq	Hamburg	June 7	
Netherby ... bq	Liverpool	June 1	
Nith ... bq	London	May 1	
Normandy ... sh	Puget Sound	—	Loading June 1
Oceana, P. and O. s.	London	July 13	
Oroya ... O. s.s.	London	July 21	
Ophir ... bq	Puget Sound	—	Loading May 1
Orontes ... sh	London	May 18	
Orizaba ... O.S.S.	London	—	To sail August 1
Otterspool ... sh	London	April 24	
Pietro B. ... bq	Puget Sound	—	Loading April 27
Port Phillip ... s	London	—	To sail June 19
Port Pirie ... s	London	—	To sail June 21
Professor Johnson bq	Puget Sound	May 5	
Parsee ... bq	Puget Sound	May 18	
Princesse Josephine s	Antwerp	May 31	
Richmond Hill ... s	London	—	To sail June 4. Sailed prior July 27
Rio ... sch	Napier	—	
Salier ... s	Bremen	June 12	
St. Lawrence ... sh	Puget Sound	—	Loading
Saturnus ... bq	Hamburg	May 27	
Scindia ... s	Calcutta	—	Loading
Selembria ... s	London	—	To sail May 28
Silver Cloud ... sch	Auckland	June 9	
Syren ... bg	Auckland	June 2	
Sophocles ... sh	London	June 11	
Star of Italy ... sh	Burrard's Inl't	May 16	
Sea Bird ... sch	Auckland	July 5	
Stettin ... s	Brindisi	June 1	
Sumarlide ... sh	Laurvig	April 21	
Thomas Stephens sh	London	June 16	
Tainan ... s	Hongkong	July 17	
Trafalgar ... sh	London	May 23	
W. C. Wentworth bq	Auckland	July 6	
Wild Wave ... bq	Auckland	June 24	
Wilcannia ... s	London	—	Loading
Yolande ... bq	Humboldt	—	To load

TRAGEDY NEAR BLACKTOWN.

A MAN KILLED BY A CHINAMAN.

A shocking tragedy took place near Blacktown yesterday afternoon. A Chinaman named Ah Loong killed a man named Morris, by cleaving his skull with a pickaxe. It appears that on Sunday two Chinamen visited Ah Loong, and Morris ordered them away. The Chinaman was annoyed. On Monday, about noon, Morris handed the Chinaman a letter, and the latter sat down near the fence to read it. Mrs. Morris asked her husband to get some water from a tank near where the Chinaman was sitting. While stooping to draw the water the Chinaman attacked Morris and struck him on the head with a lump of wood. Morris cried, "My God, I'm done for," and ran away. His wife interposed. The Chinaman struck her on the arm with a tomahawk, cutting her arm, and also struck her on the back. She ran to a neighbour named Richard Wall, who sent for a man named John Evans. When they arrived they found Morris lying dead with a pickaxe hole in his head. The Chinaman was seen crawling towards a hut 30 yards from the scene of the tragedy. It is supposed that the Chinaman and Morris must have fought for some time, as sticks, tomahawks, picks, and hoes, were strewn about the place, and nearly everything was covered with blood. The police arrived from Parramatta and took the Chinaman to the Parramatta Hospital. Drs. Phillips and Furnival attended him. He has a gash in his skull three inches long and an inch wide, evidently inflicted by a means of a pickaxe. The doctors probed the hole, and extracted about 20 pieces of skull. The Chinaman made a statement to Mr. Alban Gee, J.P. He said he asked Morris for his wages, amounting to £4 16s. 8d.; Morris said he would give him £3 10s.; they then fought; Morris hit him with a long-handled ..., and he (the Chinaman) used a tomahawk. The doctors have some hopes of the Chinaman's recovery. Mrs. Morris is not dangerously injured. Morris owned a small orchard near Blacktown. The wounds on both men are exactly similar, being on the crown of the head. Besides the hole in the Chinaman's skull his head is hacked about.

CASUALTIES.

At about half-past 6 o'clock last night a fire occurred in premises owned and occupied by Frederick Robinson, carrying on business as a grocer, at No. 37, Minnie and Angel streets, Macdonaldtown. Some bed curtains, bedding, and window blinds, together with the ceiling in a back room on the ground floor, were slightly damaged by fire. The flames, which were supposed to have been caused by the careless use of a lighted candle, were extinguished by the inmates, assisted by the Newtown and Metropolitan Fire Brigades.

A few minutes before 9 o'clock last evening a small outbreak of fire took place in a house, No. 161, Oxford-street, tenanted by Mr. W. J. Austin, a confectioner. By the prompt action of the inmates the flames were extinguished before much damage was done, some window curtains and cornice poles, besides a toilet table in the front room on the second floor, being burned. The fire is supposed to have originated through a lighted candle coming in contact with the window curtains.

A man named Thomas Daly was taken to the Sydney Hospital last evening by a vanman named Kelly, who stated that he found the man lying on the roadway at the intersection of King and Elizabeth streets. On being examined by Dr. Hughes the patient was found to be suffering from the effects of alcohol, and was bleeding from the right ear.

The barman Edward Jackson, who on Friday last attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat, died in the Sydney Hospital yesterday afternoon, from the effects of his self-inflicted injuries. The Coroner has been apprised of the circumstance.

POSTAL RULES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Under the heading "Postal Overcharges," I notice a letter in your issue of to-day. If jewellery can be sent in a packet, why not gold, in the form of dust (alluvial) or retorted? I ask this question in the interests of a numerous class—bankers, storekeepers, and miners. Living in a town from which no gold escort is sent, to be able to send small parcels of gold through the post at packet rates would be a great and important convenience. Lately, at Parkes, the P. M. distinctly refused to send gold for me except as letter.

I am, &c.,
EUGENE GREEN.

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NEW ZEALAND NEWS.

From our New Zealand files, per s.s. Wairarapa, we take the following items :—

One of the resolutions at a public meeting of the tax-payers of the Auckland district, held at Otara (says the *N.Z. Herald*), gave prominence to a view which is winning much favour, namely, the reduction of the numbers of the members of the Legislature to a point that has not been aimed at in any efforts yet made in Parliament. The proposal was that the numbers should be reduced to 25 members in the House of Representatives, and 15 in the Legislative Council. We are aware that a strong repugnance is felt by many to such a diminution in numbers as likely to lead to questions of legislation not receiving adequate ventilation and discussion. But, as a matter of fact, there are not 25 members in the House of Representatives who leave the impress of their personality on legislation, and the great bulk of the discussion is simply windy verbiage, of not the smallest benefit to the country. The limitation of the number of members would enable electors to make more careful selection; and it is only reasonable to suppose that the diminished number would be of such a kind as would go to Wellington not to devote the major portion of their time to the smoking-room or the tennis lawn, but to practical business, for the results of which they would be held more personally liable than members now can be, when their individuality is lost in the crowd. Observation of the proceedings of Parliament shows that the principal efforts of those engaged in intelligent legislation are expended in wrestling with the incompetence of the dull-witted; and that it is the *vis inertiæ* of stupidity that commonly blocks the progress of the best of measures. That there would be less of that incompetence in proportion in a more limited and selected Legislature is reasonable to expect, while the increased responsibility of individual members would ensure closer attention to proceedings, if not greater conscientiousness, in relation to what would find its way to the statute book. Apart altogether from questions of economy, there seems not the smallest doubt that the efficiency of Parliament as a deliberating body would be increased by its being diminished in membership, while, if the Hare principle of proportional representation accompanied the change, not only would the standard of personal character and fitness be raised, but the public mind would feel that it had been deprived of not one of its privileges.

Speaking of the Otago Dock Trust loan of £75,000, for which, according to our cable of the 28th instant, the time for receiving tenders has been extended, the same paper says—"This loan has been forced in spite of the expostulations and warnings and resistance of the most prudent classes in the Otago district; and if we are not wrong in our recollection, the present calling for tenders is the outcome of a special mission sent to England for the purpose, desperate difficulties requiring desperate remedies. The object contemplated in the loan affords the climax to the whole affair, for it is to gratify the ambition of those who are determined that Auckland and Lyttelton shall not have 'big docks' of a bigger kind than Otago. As is generally known, there is at present at Port Chalmers a very excellent graving dock, capable of supplying the requirements of the commerce of the place; and for a long time the largest in the colony; but it is not so big as the big dock at Auckland; and, as in the fable of the frog and the ox, Otago—or the more foolish portion of it—is determined to equal Auckland or burst. In the building of a new dock our friends in the South contemplate a structure capable of accommodating steamers that never can by any possibility be got inside the bar at the entrance of Port Chalmers; and an enormous debt having been already incurred by the Harbour Board, principally in digging a huge ditch reaching from Port Chalmers to Dunedin, so as to enable the Union steamers to reach the wharfs in the city, this further liability is to be incurred by the Dock Trust in building a big dock that can never bring in a farthing of return. After all the hopeless story of harbour building and harbour works in New Zealand, this latest Otago folly strikes one with surprise."

Some slight commotion (says the *N. Z. Herald*) was caused in Karangahape-road on Saturday afternoon, July 21, by the appearance of a number of well-known citizens gravitating from the various points of the compass to one centre, Karangahape-road, each bearing arms—some rakes, others spades, while several were observed rolling wheelbarrows. The army entered the Epiphany Church grounds, lately enclosed with a very nice picket fence, where it came to a halt, and each member without a word stripped off coat and vest and began to roll up his shirt sleeves. The skilled mechanic completed the bolts and locks to the newly-erected gates, while the other portion of the parishioners formed walks, wheeled in scoria, and did everything they could to improve and beautify the church and grounds. It was a parishioners' "bee" for that purpose. Next Saturday afternoon there will be a painting bee, funds not being available to pay for painting the new fence. The work will be done by volunteers. Surely this is as it should be.

From the further inquiries I have made (says the Wellington correspondent of the *New Zealand Herald*) it seems the increasing hostility to the 'Frisco service does not arise from any desire to strike a blow at Auckland or against the service *per se*, but from very different motives. A great many of the Southern public men have invested in the stock of the Direct Steam Shipping Company, and see in the abolition of the 'Frisco service the certain prospect of their getting a respectable dividend on their invested capital, besides hardening the stock. It is said that over £100,000 of Wellington capital is interested in this way. Of course there is the danger to the Government of the colony that, once the formidable competition of the Pacific Mail Service is out of the way, the two Direct Steam Shipping Companies may join hands, and divide the subsidy: but that, say the onlookers, is the lookout of the Government, not of the shareholders.

By a return presented to the Legislative Council it is shown that the Government intend to maintain a total force for harbour defence of 200 men, of whom 166 will be artillery (including six officers) and 54 torpedo-men (including two officers). The distribution in the principal centres will be as follows: Auckland, 48; Taranaki, 11; Wellington, 73; Lyttelton, 31; and Dunedin, 37.

As showing what the colony suffers from introducing a low type of immigrants, Dr. Macgregor in his annual report (says the *Otago Daily Times*) traces out in a tabular form an account of two families brought out under the immigration system, and gives their asylum history. They cost the country no less a sum than £3817.

The Secretary of Mines, in his annual report, says the coal industry is steadily increasing. Last year the output amounted to 558,620 tons, being about three and a-half times as great as it was 10 years ago. The increase on the output of the previous year was 24,000 tons. The quantity of coal exported last year was 44,159 tons, but of this 31,178 was used for coaling mail steamers. It is satisfactory to note that the increased output consists principally of 31,916 tons of bituminous coal, while there has been a slight decrease of 7694 tons of inferior classes of coal.

GENERAL HARRISON.

Until he began to loom up as a candidate for the Presidential nomination, Benjamin Harrison (says the *Daily Alta California*) cannot be said to have had much of a national reputation. The accident of birth made him the grandson of William Henry Harrison, the victor of Tippercanoe, and who died one month after his inauguration as President. Benjamin Harrison was born August 20, 1833, at Hamilton, O. He graduated at Miami University at Oxford, O., and then for two years read law in Cincinnatti. His residence since 1854 has been in Indianopolis. After being admitted to the bar he practiced with a fair degree of success, and in 1860 was elected reporter of the Supreme Court of Indiana. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted in response to the first call for troops, and ere long was made a second lieutenant. He later organised a company of volunteers, and won the eagles of the Colonelcy of the 70th Indiana Volunteers. In 1865 he was made a Brigadier-General and mustered out. He again took up the study and practice of the law, more or less actively mingling in politics. In 1876, as Republican candidate for the Governor of Indiana, he suffered defeat. He was appointed to the Mississippi River Commission in 1879, and in 1881 was sent to the United States Senate, where he served six years, having displayed in that time nothing to mark him as in any way a brilliant leader or profound statesman. Indeed, his record in the Senate was not at all removed from the commonplace. His opposition to anti-Chinese measures has not endeared him to the Pacific Coast. In 1884 he figured as a possible choice in the Republican National Convention, but the Blaine forces were too well organised then. In 1887 he sought re-election to the Federal Senate, but was defeated, the successful candidate being David Turpie.

WINDSOR AND RICHMOND RAILWAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Truly we on the Hawkesbury are a long-suffering patient people. About nine years ago the Government of the day started to lay down heavier rails on our railway, and we were promised large engines and greater speed; but when the rails were about half done they stopped, not like grandfather's clock, "never to go again," for 12 months ago they made a fresh start, and the work has now been completed several months and more powerful engines have been put on the line. No alteration in the time-table has been made; only now, instead of travelling the old 10-mile an hour rate, we have to wait at the different railway-stations till time is up to start. The last three trips I have made to Sydney I have kept the time we were detained at Blacktown, which amounted to 16, 15, and 21 minutes respectively. It would be a great boon to those who have to travel long distances in the dark on these cold frosty mornings to catch the train if they could leave 20 or 30 minutes later, instead of having to wait in a cold railway carriage. Perhaps when we get a member living in the district who has to travel by rail, or induce a Minister to come and stay with us a time, we may get things altered a little. I am, &c., JUMBO.

Everyone know (says *St. James's Gazette*) that the Empress Victoria of Germany is an accomplished woman. It has, however, only recently been discovered that she is the authoress of a very good translation, which appeared in 1881 and caused some stir in German political and literary circles, of the late Signor Carlo Minghetti's book on the State and the Church. Signor Minghetti, it will be remembered, was President of the Council of King Victor Emmanuel in 1863 and 1864, and again from 1873 to 1876. This interesting piece of information has lately been communicated by the publisher of the volume to the librarian of the University of Gottingen.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The market was rather quiet yesterday. At the Sydney Stock Exchange Terrible Dicks were weaker with sales down to 3s. 9d., closing with 3s. 8d. buyer, 3s. 9d. seller. Sunny Corners were about the same, closing at 52s. 9d. buyer, 53s. seller. Mount Costigans were firm at 14s. 6d. buyer, 15s. seller, while contributings sold at 9s. 6d. in the morning, advancing to 9s. 9d. in the afternoon, closing 9s. 9d. buyer, 10s. seller. In Gold, Mt. Morgan's improved, selling at £15 15s., while Conrans advanced with sales at 19s. 6d., closing 19s. 3s. buyer, 19s. 6d. seller. In copper, Great Cobars were a little better, with sales at 8s. and 7s. 9d., while Nymagees sold at 15s. 6d., closing 15s. 9d. buyer, 16s. 6d. seller. In Coal, prices were weaker. Stocktons relapsed from 55s. to 50s., but subsequently recovered slightly at 50s. 6d., closing 50s. buyer, 51s. seller. The following transactions were recorded:—Morning: Burwood, coal, 30s.; Stockton, coal, 55s., 52s., 50s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 25s.; Nymagee, copper, 15s. 6d.; Broken Hill Block 14, silver, 75s.; South Extended, 12s. 3d.; Eveleen, 7s.; Hero, contributing, 5s. 3d.; Tom's Lewis Ponds, 10s. 6d., 10s. 3d.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 9s. 6d.; Silver Prince, 6d.; Sunny Corner, 53s.; Terrible Dick, 3s. 9d., 3s. 10d., 3s. 11d.; Star of the East, gold, 95s.; Taranganba, 11s. 6d., 11s. 3d. Afternoon—Stockton coal, 54s., 50s., 50s. 6d.; Great Cobar copper, 8s., 7s. 9d.; Central Block, 1s.; Jubilee, 6d.; Tom's Lewis Pond, paid up, 11s.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 9s. 9d.; Silver Prince, 6d.; Sunny Corner, 53s. 6d., 52s. 6d., 52s. 9d.; Terrible Dick, 4s., 4s. 1d., 3s. 9d.; Mount Morgan, gold, £15 15s.; Taranganba, 11s.; Conrans, 19s. 6d.

Subjoined are the latest quotations :—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli	—	30/	Victoria Cross	10/	12/
Burwood	—	51/	Central Block	1/	1/1
Stockton	50/	19/	Eveleen	7/	7/6
Vale of Clwydd	—	51	Sunny Corner	52/9	53/
Wallsend	47	15	Terrible Dick, 19s 6d p.	3/8	3/9
Waratah	—		Webbs	—	10/6
Wickham and Bullock Island	24/9	25/3	Ditto, 12s 6d pd.	2/3	2/8
Ditto, pref., 5s p	8/	—	Mount Morgan	15½	—
Katoomba	13/	14/	New B.H. North	37/6	40/
Ditto, pref., 2s p	2/1	2/6	Brit. B.H., p.up.	64/	65/
West Wallsend	—	27/	White Leads	—	11/
Ditto, 19s paid	—	26/	One Tree Cordillera, p. up	—	2/
Hetton	—	9½	Band and Albion	79/	82/
Great Northern	7/	8/	Maritoto, pd. up	4/9	—
Newcastle	—	17½	N. Lewis Ponds	20/6	22/6
G. Cobar Copper	7/6	8/	Ditto, contrib.	—	21
Nymagee	15/9	16/6	Victory	13/6	—
Broken Hill Pro.	265	268	Taranganba	—	11/3
Block 14	72/6	75/	Eureka	27/6	—
Ditto 10 Block	—	—	Imperial B. H.	—	8/
B. H. Junction	39/6	40/6	Star of the East	91/	95/
B. H. South	5½	5½	Tom's Lewis Ponds, paid up	10/9	11/3
South Extended	11/	12/	Ditto, con.	3/6	3/9
Central B. Hill	27/6	28/	Back Creek	—	5/6
Ditto, 15s paid	22	23/	S'th. Lewis Pond	—	10
Cosgrove	6/9	—	Ditto, contrib.	—	4/6
Mount Costigan	14/6	15/	Hero, freehold.	—	7/
Ditto, new issue	9/9	10/	Ditto, contrib.	5/	5/3
Rising Sun	6/	8/	Flora Bell	—	5/6
Ditto South	—	2/	Conrans	19/3	19/6
C'tigan Cordillera	—	3/	Vanderbilt	8/	10/
P. Trib.	—	13/			
Ditto, contrib.	—	—			
Round Hill	—	—			

At the Australasian Mining Exchange the following sales were recorded:—Morning—Gold: Ophir, £7 10s., £7 10s. Silver: Sunny Corner, 53s. 6d.; Eveleen, 7s.; Broken Hill South, £5 13s.; South Extended, 12s.; Terrible Dick, 3s. 7d., 3s. 6d., 3s. 5d., 3s. 5d., 3s. 6d., 3s. 5d.; Mount Costigan, 14s. 6d.; Sultan, paid up, 1s. 6d. Afternoon—Gold: Conrans, 19s.; Sunny Corner, 53s., 53s., 52s. 6d.; Eveleen, 7s., 7s.; Block 14, 74s.; Broken Hill South, £5 12s., £5 12s. 6d.; South Extended, 12s.; Junctions, 40s.; Terrible Dick, 3s. 7d., 3s. 6d., 3s. 5d., 3s. 6d., 3s. 5d., 3s. 5d., 3s. 5d.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 9s. 9d.; Costigan South, contributing, 9d. Closing quotations were:—Coal: Burwood, seller 32s.; Stockton, seller 56s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, seller 27s. Copper: Great Cobar, seller 8s. 6d., buyer 8s.; Nymagee, buyer 15s. 6d. Gold: Ophir, seller £7 15s., buyer £7: Conrans, seller 20s., buyer 18s. 6d. Silver: Sunny Corner, seller 52s. 9d., buyer 52s. 6d.; Eveleen, seller 7s. 3d., buyer 7s.; Pinnacle Tribute, seller 15s.; Block 14, seller 76s., buyer 74s.; British, seller 66s., buyer 60s.; Centrals, seller 29s., buyer 27s. 6d.; ditto contributing, seller 23s. 6d., buyer 22s. 9d.; Central Blocks, seller 2s., buyer 1s.; South, seller £5 14s., buyer £5 11s. 6d.; South Extended, seller 12s., buyer 11s.; New Norths, seller 39s. 6d., buyer 39s.; Junction, seller 40s. 6d., buyer 40s.; Maritoto, paid up, seller 6s.; ditto contributing, seller 3s.; Rising Sun, seller 9s., buyer 7s.; Victoria Cross, seller 13s. 6d.; Webb's, contributing, seller 5s. 6d.; Terrible Dick, seller 3s. 6d., buyer 3s. 5d.; Lewis Ponds, paid up, seller 26s., buyer 21s. 6d.; Toms, paid up, buyer 10s. 6d.; ditto contributing, seller 4s., buyer 3s. 3d.; One Tree Cordillera, paid up, seller 2s. 3d., buyer 1s.; Mount Costigan, seller 15s., buyer 14s. 6d.; Mount Costigan, contributing, seller 10s., buyer 9s. 9d.; Costigan Cordillera, paid up, seller 4s.; Lubra, seller 9d., buyer 7d.; Bulga, seller 1s. 6d.; Back Creek, contributing, seller 1s. 4d., buyer 1s. 2d.; Pye's Creek, paid up, seller 8s.; Hero Freehold, paid up, seller 8s.; ditto, contributing, seller 5s. 6d.

The following were the Melbourne quotations posted at the Exchange yesterday:—Block 10, buyer 42s. 6d.; Block 14, buyer 73s. 6d., seller 75s., sales 74s.; British Broken, buyer 64s., seller 65s., sales 65s.; Broken Hill, buyer £267, seller £268; South, paid up, buyer £5 11s., seller £5 12s. 6d., sales £5 12s.; Central, buyer 27s. 9d., seller 28s.; Cordillera, buyer 20s., seller 27s 6d.; Junction, buyer 39s., seller 39s. 6d.; New North, buyer 33s., seller 39s. 6d.; Peelwood, buyer £5 6s., seller £7, sales £5 6s.; Round Hill, seller 75s.; Victoria Cross, buyer 10s., seller 11s.; Lewis Ponds, buyer 20s. 6d., seller 21s.; Mount Morgan, buyer £15 10s., seller £16; Band and Albion, buyer 79s., seller 82s.; Star of the East, buyer 94s., seller 95s., sales 94s.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

In gold companies, North Long Tunnel, New Chum Consolidated, and Mount Morgan realised advanced prices. There was not much change in the others. Among silver companies, Broken Hill Proprietary were placed at higher prices. Eaglehawk and War Dance had large jobbing business, the former closing at an advance. Nearly all the others had a dull market, and lower prices were accepted. Tin shares are generally dull, and prices are lower. Bischoff had fair support at previous price.

Sales: Broken Hill, £267, £270; Block 14, 72s., 74s.; Junction, 39s., 38s. 6d.; South, paid, £5 14s., £5 9s.; British Brokens, 65s., 64s.; Centrals, paid, 27s. 6d., 27s.; Cordillera, 22s. 6d.; Lewis Ponds, 20s. 6d.; New North Broken, 39s., 37s.; Peelwood, 5s., 5s. 6d.; Round Hill, 70s.; Victoria Cross, 10s. 6d.; Band and Albion Consols, 79s. 6d.; Madame Berry, £12 15s.; Mount Morgan, £15 15s.

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

Sales of Mount Morgan shares were made to-day at £15 18s. to £16.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Brokens, £267, £265, £265 10s.; Moonta, cum dividend, £5 11s.; Baker's Creek, £3 15s.; South, paid, £5 14s., £5 9s.; Block 14, at £3 16s., £3 13s. 6d.; British, £3 3s.; Junction, £2 6s., £1 18s. 6d.; North, £1 19s. 6d., £1 18s. 6d.; Central, old, £1 8s. 6d.; new issue, contributing, £1 2s.; Gipsy, £1 2s. 6d., £1 2s. 4½d.; Pinnacle Tribute, paid 12s. 3d., 11s.; Crosses, 10s. 3d.; Eveleen, 6s. 6d., 7s. 3d., 7s. 1½d.; Bonanzas, 4s. 4½d.; King, 4s. 1½d.; 5s. 6d., 4s. 3d.; Extended, No. 1, at 3s. 3d., 3s.; Rising Sun Extended, 2s. 9d., 2s. 10½d.; Central White Lead, 1s.; Euriowie, 16s. to 21s. To-day the Moonta Mine proprietors declared their sixty-second dividend at the rate of 10s. per share, payable on the 16th proximo. This makes a grand total of £1,120,000 paid in dividends by the company.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

Sales of War Dance shares were made to-day at 3s. 6d.

SILVERTON, MONDAY.

The following results of assays from the Mount Robe mine are reported:—May 7, No. 1, galena, 12oz. 4dwt. 23gr. of silver, 71 per cent. of lead; May 7, No. 2, galena, 14oz. 14dwt. silver, 74 per cent. lead; May 7, No. 3, galena, 13oz. 17dwt. 15gr. silver, 79 per cent. lead; June 2, No. 1, grey carbonates, 25oz. 6dwt. 6gr. silver, 74 per cent. lead; June 2nd, No. 2, of lead ore, 1oz. 12dwt. 16gr. silver, 13 per cent. lead; June 2nd, No. 3, lead ore, 16oz. 6dwt. 16gr. silver, 69 per cent. lead; June 26th, No. 1, of lead ore, 13oz. 1dwt. 8gr. silver, 51½ per cent. lead; June 26th, No. 2, of lead ore, 13oz. 1dwt. 8gr. silver, 43½ per cent. lead. The directors and secretary visited the Lone Star Silver Mining Company's property at Purnamoota on Friday, and have decided to push on the work of development as quickly as possible. They had the benefit of the experience of Mr. Nolan, at an interview on the mine, and have decided to continue the work of development on the chloride lode, from which very rich ore is being obtained.

LITHGOW, MONDAY.

At the Oakey Park coal mine a new pit is being sunk near the Great Zigzag. They are now on coal at a depth of 334ft. The seam is 12ft.; 8ft. of good workable coal. The shaft has been sunk through sandstone and slaty material. Water is a great drawback to progress, incessant pumping having to be kept going.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

The Sunny Corner Silver-mining Company, Limited, July 28.—Six Reverberatory furnaces have run full time, and two Pacifics almost full time, reducing the following material, viz.: 110 tons 1st matte, 59 tons 2nd matte, 224 tons roasted black mineral, 80 tons raw tailings, 15 tons gossan ore, and 173 tons probert slags; total, 661 tons. Estimated assay value of product for week ended 21st instant, after deducting value of re-smelted matte already reported, is £1024 18s 3d. Pacific furnace A was shut down on Sunday, owing to leak inside jacket. C was started on Tuesday to replace A. B was shut down to-day at 3 p.m., as it was badly crusted. The shaft, &c., for raising slag is completed, and slag has been raised. Reverberatories.—No. 6 was shut down last Saturday, for repairs to bridge, and started again on Wednesday night. The other furnaces have worked well and full time. The Kilns.—Two roasting stalls are filled, and remainder filling. Mine.—Contractors in No. 2 tunnel driven 6ft. Eastern crosscut driven 2ft. 6in.; ground still hard. The shaft at north end on quartz reef sunk 5ft.; lode mixed with quartz and slate, and carrying gold and silver. Ore broken principally from No. 2 stope, centre block, east and west block.

The Eveleen Silver-mining Company, Limited (by telegraph), July 27.—"East crosscut 35ft. level extended 4ft. South shaft main lode sunk 9ft."

Taranganba Proprietary Gold Company, Limited, July 21.—The second boiler has been delivered. Building in of the first one progressing. Forty thousand bricks are delivered, and have 2000 more ready for the kilns. All the timber for the crushing part of the plant is delivered, and the timber for the sheds is coming in. The township is being surveyed and pegged out.

South Pinnacle Silver-mining Company, by telegram July 30.—Junction shaft crosscutted 19ft. for week. New shaft sunk 9ft.; total, 60ft. Start crosscut Monday.

Chard's Golden Gully Gold-mining Company, July 28.—Have sunk main shaft 6ft. 6in., total 41ft. 6in.; have finished timbering the shaft to the surface, total 19ft. timbered; also put the ladders down the shaft 30ft. Still in hard slate country, with small quartz leaders coming in. Continued the underlay of No. 3 shaft 6ft., total 37ft.; raised two tons of stone, total at grass 30½ tons.

Delaney's Dyke Gold-mining Company, Limited, July 25.—We are still sinking in the south shaft and the north drive, which looks very well indeed. The lode keeps its usual width, and shows gold freely. No rain as yet.

The Ophir Deep Lead Gold-mining Company, Limited, July 24.—The engines, pumping machinery, and sweep rods are now all finished, and to-day steam was got up to try the pumps. Everything worked smoothly.

The Eureka Gold-mining Company, Limited (by telegraph). July 27.—Shaft sunk 10ft. for the week, making total depth 60ft. The lode has widened out to 7ft., which is all payable stone. Machinery has arrived, and being erected.

The mine manager of the Rising Sun South Silver Mine reports.—A further depth of 4ft. has been sunk in No. 2 shaft, making a total depth of 57ft. from surface. The strata is much the same as last week, and continues to improve. There is a sheet of iron and gossan of a dark-brown colour crossing the shaft, and underlaying west about 1 in 3, carrying carbonate of lead. The strata at present contains veins of quartz of a very hard nature, which makes progress slow.

The White Rock Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited. —Ore raised for the week, 180 tons, showing well. The progress of the work is somewhat impeded by the unusually dry weather, which is making the water-supply scarce. Have contracted for all machinery from Lawrence at low rates. A quantity of stone having been forwarded to San Francisco for bulk experiment, a gratifying report thereon has been received from Professor Price and other experts. In order to effectually carry out their suggestions, the services of a skilled manager from America have been secured in America to superintend the treatment of the company's ores at the mine.

COMMERCIAL.

The following is a return of colonial spirits at the bonded distilleries for the week ended Friday, the 27th July, 1888, in proof gallons:—

Description of stock, rum; stock in store the 20th July, 1888, 10,625; since distilled, 4208; issued for bond, 2681; total issues during the week, 2681; rate of duty, 14s; stock in store the 27th July, 1888, 12,152.

The following is a return of foreign sugar at the bonded refineries for the same period:—

Stock, 20th July, 1888, 3962 tons 8cwt. 3qr. 17lb.; received during week, 30 tons 10cwt. 0qr. 17lb.; issued during week, duty paid, 115 tons 15cwt. 3qr. 5lb.; issued during week, export, 7 tons 13cwt. 1qr. 15lb.; total issues, 123 tons 9cwt. 0qr. 20lb.; stock 27th July, 1888, 3869tons 3cwt. 3qr. 14lb.

PRODUCE MARKET—MONDAY.

This morning at Darling Harbour auction sales there was a small attendance of the trade. The supply of forage forward consisted of 64 trucks, 25 being of hay, 12 of straw, and 27 of chaff. The demand was confined to hay. One extra prime lot realised 6s 9d per cwt., the highest figure yet obtained this season. Chaff was extremely dull of sale. Business in wood was moderately active. At the wharfs fair consignments were received from Northern rivers, Southern ports, and adjacent colonies. Business, as usual at the close of the month, was very quiet. Butter easier, otherwise values were unaltered. The following quotations were realised at Darling Harbour sales:—

Wood.—Moderate market. Good lots sold readily; other kinds neglected. Billet, 6s 6d to 10s per ton; bundle, 8s to 12s 6d; foot, 8s to 12s; bakers', 7s 6d to 10s.

Hay.—Fairly large supply. Strong competition was experienced for prime lines, which ruled very firm. Other classes were in moderate request. Best oaten, in bundles, 4s 6d to 5s per cwt.; one extra prime lot, 6s 9d; interior to medium, 2s to 4s; bales, 3s 1d; lucerne, in bales, from Mudgee, 3s 7d; Hunter River district, 2s 9d to 3s 6d; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 3s 11d to 4s 10d.

Straw.—Consignments coming to hand more freely than of late. Clean wheaten in bundles, 2s 1d to 2s 9d per cwt.; faulty, from 2s. to 2s 2d.

Chaff.—The quantity forward was chiefly of inferior sorts. Oaten, in bags, 3s 3d to 4s 2d per cwt.; inferior, from 2s; straw, in bags, 2s 2d to 2s 5d; mixed, 3s.

At the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Maize.—The shipments yesterday and this morning from the various Northern rivers amounted to 3191 bags; also there were 727 bags from Fiji. Unaltered, 2s 8d per bushel.

Oats.—A small New Zealand supply of 490 bags yesterday. Good feed lots still firm, 2s 3d to 2s 5d per bushel; milling, to 2s 5d; other sorts, from 2s 2d; seed, 2s 3d to 2s 6d. Prime Tartarian seed scarce.

Barley.—Cape seed nominal at 3s per bushel.

Bran.—Steady, 9½d to 9¾d per bushel.

Pollard.—Worth 9½d per bushel.

Hay.—Small shipments to hand from the Hunter River this morning. Prime new dry green lucerne, £4 15s to £5 per ton; extra good to £5 5s; brown, summer and faulty kinds, 30s to £1 5s.

Chaff.—Additions were made to stocks from the neighbouring colonies this morning. Adelaide, £4 10s to £5 per ton; Victorian, £3 10s to £4 5s.

Onions.—489 bags this morning from Victoria. Values range from £7 5s to £7 10s per ton.

Potatoes.—Further shipments of Victorian varieties. Warrnambool, £3 5s per ton; Circular Head, £4; New Zealand, £3 15s; Ballarats, £3 10s; Early rose seed, £6.

Butter.—Prices easier. Best Illawarra, in keg, 1s 10d to 2s per lb.; factory made, 2s to 2s 3d; roll, 2s; pastry kinds, 7d to 9d; New Zealand, to 1s 6d.

Cheese.—1073 from the Southern ports yesterday. Ordinary colonial descriptions, 5d to 7d per lb; loaf and choice brands, to 7½d.

Bacon.—Unaltered. Hand-cured southern, 5d to 7d per lb.; machine-cured, 4d to 5½d; exceptional lines, 6d to 6½d; heavy and rough, 2d to 3d; hams, 5d to 7d.

Lard.—Finely-rendered, in bladders, steady, 4d to 5d per lb.; in bulk, from 3d.

Honey.—Good and clear slack, 4d per lb.; other classes from 2½d.

Eggs.—Larger stocks from the Northern rivers than of late. Quoted, 1s 3d to 1s 4d per dozen.

Poultry.—Unchanged, at per pair:—Fowls, 2s 6d to 4s; ducks, 3s 3d to 3s 9d; geese, 5s to 7s 6d; turkeys, 6s to 12s.

FAT STOCK SALES.

At Homebush fat stock sales on Monday 850 head of cattle were yarded. There was a good attendance of buyers, and competition was strong throughout. The best lot of bullocks averaged £8 4s 3d per head, others from £4 16s; cows, £4 2s to £6 4s. 10,500 sheep were penned. This supply was sufficient for requirements, and prices opened easier, and at the close a reduction of 9d per head on Thursday's rates was reported. The best lot of merino wethers sold at 12s 8d per head, others from 7s; a few crossbreds, 10s 4d to 12s 6d; lambs, 5s to 12s 11d. The following sales are reported:—By Messrs. Wilkinson and Lavender.—70 wethers for R. Carter at 12s 9d, 649 wethers at 9s 2d to 9s 6d; 711 wethers for Kirkpatrick and Quin, 9s 1d to 10s. By Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited.—198 bullocks (A. A. Cox) at £8 4s 3d; 50 bullocks (T. Ellis) at £6 12s 7d; 51 bullocks (W. Cooper) at £5 16s 9d; 18 lambs (Wallhallow Estate) at 12s 11d, 118 wethers at 11s 7d, 867 wethers at 10s 4d to 10s 5d, 41 wethers at 9s 9d; 589 wethers (W. J. Doyle) at 11s 2d to 11s 4d, 42 wethers at 9s 11d; 46 crossbred wethers (R. B. Dixon) at 10s 4d to 12s 6d, 211 wethers at 8s to 8s 3d; 543 wethers (Southern agents) at 9s 9d to 9s 9d, 20 wethers at 9s 4d; 2006 wethers (T. Cook), at 9s to 9s 6d, 79 wethers at 7s 10d; 113 lambs (R. W. Cordeaux) at 8s 11d, 98 lambs at 6s 9d to 8s; 8 wethers (W. Webb) at 7s 4d; 102 lambs at 7s 6d. By Mr. Warden Harry Graves.—230 wethers, for James Campbell, from 8s 7d to 10s 8d; few seconds less; ewes, 7s 7d; draft of hoggets, 10s 6d; lambs, 6s 2d; 230 wethers, for J. Taylor, from 8s 4d to 11s 8d; ewes, 7s 1d; stags, 8s 3d; wethers for James Peacock to 9s 5d; stags, 10s. By Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited.—20 bullocks (R. Rouse) at £7 6s 6d; 36 (W. F. Rutledge) at £6 0s 9d; 54 (J. G. Lackey) at £5 15s 2d. By Messrs. Joseph Leeds and Co.—527 wethers (Charles Johnstone), at 7s 8d; 352 (Palmer Bros. and Co.), at 7s 6d to 7s 8d; 197 (C. Williams), at 7s 4d. By Messrs. T. Sullivan and Son.—For James Tyson, 208 bullocks, averaging £7 2s 6d; 4 cows at £6 4s; and 2 bullocks (culls), at £4 16s. By Messrs. Alex. Wilson and Co. — The Namoi Pastoral Company, Limited, 1002 wethers to 13s, averaging 12s 8d per head. By Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co.—139 bullocks (R. Ridge) at £6 15s, 87 (Power and Ball) at £6 11s 5d; 56 ewes (Mr. Jno. Edgar) at 8s, 96 2-tooth at 8s 6d, 324 wethers at 8s 3d to 8s 7d, 273 (G. Palmer) at 8s 11d to 9s, 222 (Smith Bros.) at 8s 3d to 8s 4d, 74 seconds at 7s to 7s 3d.

SYDNEY WATER SUPPLY.

Discharge of Nepean and Cataract Rivers for the month ending June 23, 1888:—

Date, 1888.	Rainfall, measured at 9 a.m.	Nepean, gallons per day.	Cataract, gallons per day.	Total gallons per day.
May 27	...	5,877,000	990,000	6,867,000
28	...	5,877,000	939,000	6,816,000
29	...	5,877,000	939,000	6,816,000
30	...	5,877,000	890,000	6,767,000
31	...	5,877,000	795,000	6,672,000
June 1	...	5,877,000	795,000	6,672,000
2	...	5,667,000	795,000	6,462,000
3	·03	5,456,000	795,000	6,251,000
4	...	5,667,000	795,000	6,462,000
5	·02	5,667,000	795,000	6,462,000
6	·01	5,667,000	795,000	6,462,000
7	·17	5,877,000	795,000	6,672,000
8	·38	7,193,000	1,040,000	8,233,000
9	...	13,990,000	23,450,000	37,440,000
10	...	18,292,000	10,057,000	28,349,000
11	...	16,881,000	6,452,000	23,333,000
12	...	15,422,000	4,962,000	20,384,000
13	...	11,273,000	4,070,000	15,343,000
14	...	10,498,000	3,379,000	13,877,000
15	...	9,299,000	2,811,000	12,110,000
16	...	8,327,000	2,418,000	10,745,000
17	...	7,046,000	2,167,000	9,213,000
18	...	6,966,000	2,040,000	9,006,000
19	·04	6,298,000	1,852,000	8,150,000
20	...	6,298,000	1,673,000	7,971,000
21	...	6,088,000	1,555,000	7,643,000
22	...	5,667,000	1,331,000	6,998,000
23	...	5,667,000	1,221,000	6,888,000
	0.65	225,070,000	80,596,000	305,666,000

Daily average for the month—10,916,643 gallons.

PLACES OF AMUSEMENT.—DANGER.

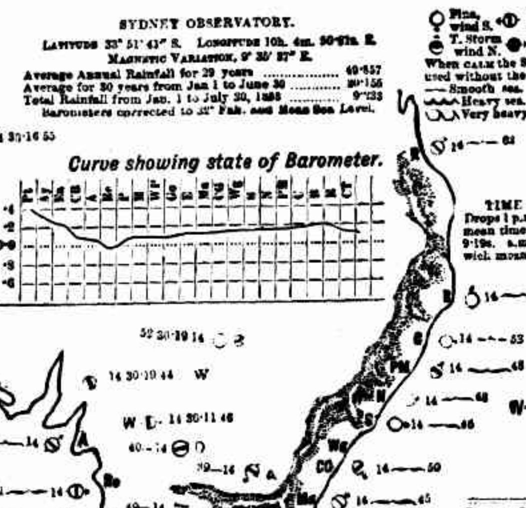
TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I observe that the Government propose introducing a bill to Parliament next session for the better and safer control of places of amusement. This intent may be good, but I am inclined to think that the Government are neglecting a pressing duty in not at once taking action on the evidence already before them as to the danger in connection with several of our city places of amusement. I have been informed by the police officers that the dangers are in some cases far greater than were described in the reports, and that a panic arising from an outbreak of fire or other cause would in all probability result in a painful sacrifice of life. Some of the theatres in Europe, where such terrible catastrophies have only recently taken place, are known to have been better in many respects than some of our theatres where nightly hundreds of people congregate. I may say that since the reports were published no member of my family but myself has entered those theatres, and I certainly have occupied no seat but one near the doors. But I have never sat even there without painful thoughts for the men, women, and children crowded in the centres of the theatres, from which spot escape would be almost impossible. I say, a terrible responsibility rests with the Government in this matter; and it is to be regretted that there are rumours that the influence of vested interests has stayed the reforming hand. The course for the Government to pursue is simple enough. Those houses of amusement which do not come up to the demand of public safety, as officially reported, should have their licenses withdrawn until they have complied with the requirements of the law. I am, &c., CITIZEN.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR JULY 30, 1888.

Stations.	W.	Mx	Mn	Rn
Albury	g	60	28	0
Armidale	b	55	36	0·06
Balranald	b	61	33	0
Bathurst	f	58	39	0·25
Bendem'r	b	49	25	0
Bodalla	b	65	29	0·02
Bourke	b	76	40	0
Bowral	b	49	13	0·16
Bundarra	b	61	22	0
C'und'n H.	g	64	45	0
C. St. Geo.	b	59	44	0·12
Carcoar	b	47	33	0·22
Casino	f	74	44	0·02
Cassilis	b	51	31	0
Clarence	b	6?	46	0
C'nd'b'lla	b	58	34	0
Cooma	f	49	35	0
Coonab'n.	b	69	23	0
Cowra	b	63	38	0·20
Cudg'llico	b	65	35	0
Deniliq'n.	g	65	31	0
Dubbo	b	67	38	0
Eden	b	57	40	0
Euston	b	77	36	0
Forbes	b	—	36	0
G'bo Isl'nd	b	58	43	0
Glen Inn's	b	57	27	0
Goulburn	b	51	34	0
Grafton	b	79	40	0
Gulgong	f	54	24	0·08
Gunned'h	b	68	27	0
Hay	g	68	37	0·02
Hill End	—	—	—	0·05
Inverell	b	67	27	0
Kiandra	g	42	17	0
Lismore	f	77	50	0
Maitland	f	61	38	0
M'n'ng H.	o	57	41	0·03
Marsdens	b	60	36	0·10
Menindie	d	—	—	0
Molong	b	65	28	0·04
M'r'ng'r'll	b	58	30	0·12
Moree	b	75	37	0
Moruya	b	61	39	0·05
Moss Vale	b	44	29	0·14
Mt. Hope	c	70	42	0
M. Vict'ria	b	52	31	0·48
Mudgee	f	66	24	0·06
M'rr'mb'a	b	53	34	0
M'rr'r'ndi	b	51	30	0
Mus'lbr'k	f	60	31	0
Narrabri	b	70	26	0
Newcastle	f	60	40	0
Orange	b	49	21	0·06
Picton	b	57	37	0·48
P. M'q'rie	o	61	40	0
P. St'ph'n	b	60	37	0·17
Q'nbeyan	g	67	26	0
Quirindi	b	65	35	0
Singleton	b	61	37	0
Sydney	g	58	45	0·15
T'mworth	b	59	33	0·03
Taralga	b	53	35	0
Tnt'rfield	b	69	30	0
Wagga	b	63	25	0
Walcha	b	26	6	0
Walgett	b	67	37	0
Warialda	b	76	25	0
Warrah	b	50	30	0
W'ntw'rth	c	64	41	0·10
Wilcannia	b	68	37	0
W'll'ng'ng	b	62	43	0·50
Young	f	58	30	0·02

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.
LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·67s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.
Average Annual Rainfall for 29 years .... 49·857
Average for 30 years from Jan 1 to June 30 .... 20·155
Total Rainfall from Jan. 1 to July 30, 1888 .... 9·233
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.



Fine, wind S. Clou. wind W. T. Storm wind N. Rain, wind E. When calm the Symbol is used without the arrow. — Smooth sea. Heavy sea. Very heavy sea.

TIME BALL Drops 1 p.m. Sydney mean time; 2h. 55m. 9·19s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

SYDNEY STANDARD BAROMETER at 9 a.m., 30·154 inches.

NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations, the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x., gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n, the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n, the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each station the wind symbol points to the direction in which the wind is blowing, is in fact an arrow flying with the wind. A clear circle with it means fine weather; a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour. Next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—Pt, Perth; Av, Albany; Ea, Eucla; CB, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; Re, Robe; P, Portland; M, Melbourne; WP, Wilson's Promontory; Go, Gabo; E, Eden; Ms, Moruya; CG, Jervis Bay; WG, Wollongong; S, Sydney; N, Newcastle; PM, Port Macquarie; C, Clarence River; B, Brisbane; R, Rockhampton; Ct, Cooktown. Inland, the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays and holidays, when the map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

SYNOPSIS.

Western Australia.—More or less cloudy and unsettled.
South Australia.—Generally more or less cloudy, with light rain.
Victoria and Straits.—More or less cloudy and gloomy.
Tasmania.—Cloudy, with light N.W. winds at Hobart.
New South Wales.—Fine, with light clouds and fog at scattered places; very light winds.
Queensland.—Fine, with clouds at places; light and variable winds.
Central and Northern Australia.—Fine, with light to fresh S.E. winds and calm.
New Zealand.—Showery and squally in Cook Strait, and in N.W.; fine in N. and S.
Forecast.—New South Wales: Light variable winds and calm, with some clouds about.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Cape St. George, N., fine, 59°; Newcastle, N.W., fine, 63°; Port Macquarie, E., clear, 64°; Eden, N.E., fine, 57°; Clarence, E., fine, 66°; Sydney, calm, fine, 62°; Walgett, N., fine, 67°; Goulburn, W., fine, 60°; Queanbeyan, S.W., cloudy; Wilcannia, calm, clear, 62°; Wentworth, W., fine, 62°; Forbes, calm, clear, 50°; Dubbo, S.S.W., fine, 60°; Deniliquin, calm, dull, 58°; Hay, calm, cloudy, 60°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JULY 31.

Sun rises at 6.55, sets at 5.15; Moon, 12.18 a.m., 11.28 a.m.; Mercury, 5.42 a.m., 3.49 p.m.; Venus, 7.17 a.m., 5.29 p.m.; Mars, 10.52 a.m., 12.13 a.m.; Jupiter, 12.6 p.m., 1.54 a.m.; Saturn, 7.8 a.m., 5.29 p.m. New moon, 9th; full moon, 23rd. High water at Fort Denison: 1.6 a.m., 1.28 p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL,
Government Astronomer.

STREET AWNINGS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Referring to the awning which "Ratepayer" in your issue of 28th instant states was being erected in William-street without downpipes to convey and discharge the rain-water to the water-table he has been rather too impulsive, and complained without cause of what to him appeared to be a fault in an unfinished structure. If "Ratepayer" will now inspect the awning in question, in its more advanced stage of completion, he will find that the necessary down-pipes are provided according to the original plan, approved by the proper authorities; and that the short pipes jutting out just below the guttering, with their seemingly formidable portents of involuntary shower-baths to customers and passers-by, are closed, and only to be opened in the event of the gutter becoming choked to cleanse it. By kindly inserting this in your valuable paper you will oblige. I am, &c.,

THOS. PETERS.

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WAVERLEY.—For SALE, HOUSE, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse and copper, gas, bath, kitchen fitted with gas stove, oven, and sink, overlooking Centennial Park, close to tram. Price £400; cash £150, balance easy. Inspection invited. No. 1, Park-terrace, Denison-street, Waverley.

SUPERIOR Detached Brick Cottage, 4 rooms, hall, washhouse. Rowley-street, Brigg's Estate, Newtown.

RYDE.—Choice LOTS, close to the railway station, for SALE, easy terms. S. Graham, 136, Pitt-street.

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STANMORE.—Unique and Charming Cottage RESIDENCE, beautifully finished, extra timbering, ventilation, &c., bay window, ornamental porch, hall (c. panelled), marble mantel, tiled hearth, porch, and panels' back verandah; contains 4 rooms and kitchen, work or lumber room, bath, copper, stove, underground tank, back entrance; land, 18 x 100; Torrens'; price, £435; terms. Apply W. GAUDIE, Durham-street, West Kingston.

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DOUGLAS PARK.—70 acres rich LAND, well watered, £15 per acre. Dunn and M'Keown, 70, Eliz.-st.

LAND for SALE, a bargain, ROSEHILL HEIGHTS, overlooking Racecourse, 7 ALLOTMENTS, 17, 18, section L., each 33ft. by 155ft. No reasonable offer refused, owner leaving colony. 222, Elizabeth street, Belmore Park.

SUMMER HILL Heights, and in one of the best positions in the district.—A very handsome Gothic Villa RESIDENCE, containing drawing-rooms, 35ft. long, 14ft. wide; dining-room, 20ft. long, 14ft. wide; hall, 7ft. wide; ceilings, 11ft. 6in. high; cedar staircase; bedrooms, 18ft. by 14.6 wide, 16ft. 6in. by 14ft. 6in. wide; best bedroom, 20ft. long, 14ft. 6in. wide. These rooms are in the main house. Marble mantels, tiled hearths, and fenders; servants' bedrooms, 12ft. 14ft., and 10ft. x 14ft.; front and back balconies, bath, pantry, kitchen 12ft. x 14ft.; city water laid on; gas heating water apparatus in bathroom. This property has a commanding view. Price £2400. Keys at EVANS and CO.'S, Tintern-road, Summer Hill.

FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS will purchase HOUSE, 6 rooms, bath, gas, stable, loft, &c., brick on stone, slate roof, Torrens' title; not sold but sacrificed; eastward. RAMSAY, Sydney Arcade.

Building Materials.

BUILDING MATERIAL.—G. P. Baines will sell on Wednesday, Aug. 1, at Clarence-st., material of 20 houses.

TO Timber Merchants.—REDWOOD for SALE, at 20s. Auckland Timber Company.

VICTORIA SAW AND JOINERY MILLS, HARRIS-STREET, PYRMONT. Foreign and Colonial Timber, Doors, Sashes, Moulding, &c. GOODLET and SMITH, 493, George-st., near Bathurst-st.

ON ACCOUNT OF EXPIRATION OF LEASE.
We are Selling—
BALTIC DEALS, 9 and 11 x 3
BALTIC FLOORING, lining and weather boards
HARDWOOD LATHS, Cedar Boards
REDWOOD and OREGON
DOORS, SASHES, &c.
At Greatly Reduced Prices.
MILLER and HARRISON, Albion Wharf.

MARBLE MANTELPIECES, FENDERS, GRATES, HEARTH TILES, best quality. SPECIAL REDUCTIONS to clear accumulated stocks. G. E. CRANE and SONS, Circular Quay.

CEMENT, "Anchor" and K.B.S. in stock; Plaster, Sheet Lead, Lead and Galvanised Pipe; Slates, all sizes; Galvanised Iron, all lengths; Drain Pipes, Garden Vases, Oven Tiles, Lumps, &c. G. E. Crane and Sons, 19 to 31, Pitt-st. North.

HARDWOOD LATHS for SALE, price 10s per 1000 on the wharf. T. and W. Willis, 15, Pitt-street.

OLD BUILDING MATERIAL to be had for taking away. Apply Queen's-place and Pitt-street.

CENTRE FLOWERS, Trusses, Enrichments, &c., new designs, largest and best selection. G. T. Cross, 5, Bond-st.

Miscellaneous.

TWO P. G. SHOPFRONTS, glass doors and sliding sashes complete; also, Plate Glass, 6 x 4 and 6 x 6, and Lot of Shelving; very low price, if application to-day. Beehive, Pitt-street, Haymarket.

FOR SALE, cheap, a few Fancy FOWLS, comprising Brahmas, Cochins, Spanish, and Silkies; also a few Carrier PIGEONS. WALTER RUSH, Maryville, Denison-street, close Queen-street, Woollahra.

FOX TERRIERS.—For SALE, pure-bred Dogs, Sluts, Pups; pedigrees. 9 to 6, J. Riley, 133, Elizabeth-street.

OILSKIN CLOTHING for men and boys; Oilskin Sheeting for Invalids and for wrappers, Waterproof Covers for horses, carts, merchandise, &c.; cheap. Goldstein, Government contractor, oilskin maker, &c., 231, Lower George-street.

TENTS (for Sale or Hire), Flys, Tarpaulins (plain or oiled), Rick-covers, Hammocks, Canvas Cots, Water-bags, Canvas (2ft., 3ft., 4ft., 6ft. wide), Seaming Twine, &c. GOLDSTEIN, Tent and Tarpaulin Maker, 231, Lower George-street.

PASSENGERS per P. and O., Orient Line, and German Lloyd steamers can obtain for a few shillings a thorough outfit for the home voyage. GOLDSTEIN, Government Contractor, General Outfitter, 231, George-street.

FOX Terrier DOG, Brokenhurst Turk, sire Brokenhurst Mettle, dam Derelict, standing at the stud, fee £3 3s; first prize Agricultural Show; or for SALE. Pedigree, price, &c., J. CLEMENTS, Alexandra-street, Alexandria.

FOR SALE, ex Evelyn, a quantity of small white SEA-SHELL from Gulf of Carpentaria, suitable for garden walks. Apply JOHN TAYLOR and CO., 15, Sussex-street.

LEFT-OFF Clothing and old Gold Jewellery wanted. Mrs. Dawson, 300, Pitt-street, next marble works.

FOR Left-off Clothing, J. Regan, 186, Elizabeth-street, gives highest price (cash). Letters promptly attended to.

HIGHEST price given for ladies' and gentlemen's wearing apparel. Mrs. H. N., 26, Botany-street, Surry Hills.

HIGHEST Price given for Left-off Clothing. Letters attended. Mrs. Sehon, 167, Crown-st., Woolloomooloo.

SMALL BILLIARD TABLE for SALE, cheap. Apply J. B. Bassetti, Solferino Hotel, Sutherland-st., Paddington.

TO BUTCHERS.—Butchers' Blocks, Filters, and sundry butchers' utensils for Sale, cheap. H. M'Namara, Hay-st.

MUST be SOLD, splendid D B. B. Loading GUN, 12 bore, top action, rebounding locks, with case and implements complete, brand new, cost £20; no reasonable offer refused. Apply to How's Book Depot, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

RE THE GREAT SALE OF THE LILBURNDALE ESTATE FARMS, NEXT TUESDAY, 7th August, at 1.30 p.m., at the ROYAL HOTEL, WINDSOR.
A FREE COACH now leaves the Royal Hotel, Windsor, EVERY DAY up to the Day of Sale, for the convenience of buyers, returning same day or otherwise, as desired.
Get a Lithograph, and Inspect.
T. TATE and CO., 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

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Public Companies.

WALTER REID AND CO.,
Limited.

Incorporated under the Company's Act of 1862, Queensland.

CAPITAL, £125,000,
in 100,000 Shares at 25s each.

Payable 5s per Share upon application, 5s per Share upon allotment, 1s 6d at three months, and 1s 6d at six months, and 1s 6d at nine months, and 1s 6d at twelve months, and no further call to be made except upon the resolution of the Shareholders passed at an extraordinary general meeting, called and held in terms of the Articles of Association of the Company.

ALL THE SHARES HAVE BEEN ALLOTTED.

Directors:
W. PATTISON, Esq., M.L.A.
(Chairman Mount Morgan G. M. Co.), Rockhampton
A. J. CALLAN, Esq.
(Messrs. Callan, Dowling, and Co.), Rockhampton
R. PHILP, Esq.
(Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co.), Brisbane
T. B. ROBINSON, Esq.
(Messrs. Walter Reid and Co.), Rockhampton.

Managing Director:
F. K. TERRY, Esq.
(Messrs. Walter Reid and Co.), Rockhampton.

Bankers:
QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK.

Secretary:
F. A. BOWKER, Esq.,
Offices of the Company, Quay-street, Rockhampton.

Brokers:
C. C. SMYTH, Esq., Brisbane
E. J. HARTLEY, Esq., Melbourne
VINCENT DOWLING, Esq., Rockhampton.

Solicitors:
REES, R., and SYDNEY JONES.

This Company was formed for the purpose of purchasing and continuing the long-established business of Walter Reid and Co.

The business is the oldest established in Rockhampton, having been in existence over 24 years, and under the management of the late proprietors its operations and profits have been greatly increased and firmly established.

The favourable results which have followed the conversion of similar establishments at other ports into limited companies is well known to investors, nearly all such stocks being in active demand at high premiums.

The fleet of lighters, boats, wharf plant, &c., &c., which have become the property of the Company, embraces almost the whole of this kind of plant upon the Fitzroy River.

The cartage plant is thoroughly good and sufficient, and the wool-dumping appliances are the most extensive and complete in Central Queensland.

The freehold property consists of house and land in Denham-street—an allotment at the corner of Quay and Francis streets; also a valuable allotment at the corner of Quay and Stanley streets, and an adjacent allotment at the corner of Quay and Stanley streets. Upon these latter, it is proposed to erect new premises for the accommodation of the company. Plans and specifications for the building have been prepared already by competent architects.

The leasehold consists of the buildings in Quay-street (where the office of the firm is now situated), and a block of land having extensive river frontage just below the bridge at North Rockhampton. There are also rented, under agreements, the wool store situated at the corner of Quay and Fitzroy streets, and the building upon the north bank of the river known as the Kerosene Bond.

In addition to the above, the company has acquired the shares held by the vendors in the A. U. S. N. Company. The lucrative operations of that company, and the favourable terms upon which the vessels were obtained by their present owners, confirm the anticipation that the investment will prove a very satisfactory and profitable one for the company.

The books of the firm have been examined by Messrs. Dawbarn and Gavin, and Messrs. Kelman, Tompson, and Co., public accountants, of Rockhampton, whose opinion and estimate of the character of the business is shown in their certificate, which is appended hereto.

The vendors have taken a number of shares in addition to those allotted to them as part payment of purchase-money; and as a further evidence of the confidence with which they predict the future prosperity of the business after its transfer to the company, they have agreed to guarantee to the shareholders a dividend of ten pounds per centum per annum for the first three years on all capital actually paid up within the period of one year after the registration of the company, and have placed shares to the value of £10,000 with the company as a pledge for the fulfilment of this agreement.

The business was taken over on the 15th May, 1888.
July 20, 1888.

We, the undersigned, Dawbarn and Gavin, and Kelman, Tompson, and Co., accountants, of Rockhampton, having been engaged to inspect the books of Walter Reid and Co. for the past three years, viz. 1885 to 1888, have carefully examined the same, and do hereby certify that the net profits of the business would, after making all provisions for depreciation of plant, &c., have paid over 10 per centum per annum upon the amount of capital it is proposed to call up. We certify that the business is of a progressive character, perfectly sound, and highly remunerative, and that the last year's transactions exceed those of previous years.

(Signed) DAWBARN and GAVIN.
(Signed) KELMAN, TOMPSON, and CO.
Rockhampton, 12th May, 1888.

QUEANBEYAN WOOL and MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
to be Limited.

CAPITAL: £30,000, in 30,000 Shares of £1 each.

Payable: One Shilling on application, Two Shillings on allotment, and Four Shillings in monthly payments of One Shilling per Share.

Should further Calls be made, they shall be of One Shilling each, and at intervals of not less than one month.

DIRECTORS:
Hon. James Inglis, M.P. — Alex. Johnston
Syd. Burdekin, M.P. — Geo. H. Rhodes
H. A. Cunningham, J.P. — A. M. Dulhenty
J. P. Franki, J.P. — Geo. Tompsitt, J.P.
J. W. M'Comas

This Company is formed to establish a Wool and Manufacturing Works at Queanbeyan, on 12 acres of freehold land, having large river frontage, and with plant and buildings already in profitable work in wool-scouring, fellmongering, and tannery.

It is proposed to add improved and extended buildings and the newest automatic machinery for the treatment and manufacture of wool and woollen fabrics.

The Company is in process of registration, and may be regarded as one of the most desirable and promising investments that can be offered to capitalists.

Prospectus can be obtained and Shares applied for at the office of
Messrs. GARRARD and HAMILTON,
76, Pitt-street;
Or from H. J. DIXIE, Queanbeyan,
Secretary.

N.B.—Over Nineteen Thousand Shares have been already applied for and appropriated. The balance are offered to the public in order to close the list.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

FOR LIFE ASSURANCE ON THE MUTUAL PRINCIPLE.

Established 1849.

Head Office—87, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Directors:
J. P. ABBOTT, Esq., M.P., Chairman
JAMES R. HILL, Esq., Deputy-chairman
J. T. WALKER, Esq.
JOHN ARTHUR, Esq.
THOS. LITTLEJOHN, Esq.
JAMES THOMSON, Esq.
ROBERT J. KING, Esq.

Chief Medical Officer:
JAS. C. COX, M.D.

Actuary:
MORRICE A. BLACK, F.I.A.

Secretary:
RICHARD TEECE, F.I.A.

This Society is the only Australian Life Office which declares a BONUS EVERY YEAR.

The PRINCIPAL SOURCES OF PROFIT are—the high rate of interest obtained on the accumulated funds; the small percentage that the expenses of management bear to the annual income; and the extremely favourable rate of mortality which continues to be experienced.

MEMBERS MAY BORROW on their Policies to the extent of 90 per cent. of the Surrender Value.

Policies are not forfeited so long as the Surrender Value is sufficient to pay one Premium.

BONUSES VEST after Policies have been two full years in force.

NEW BUSINESS OF 1887:
9,935 Policies, assuring £3,223,365, with new Premiums of £121,214.

Divisible surplus of the year 1887	£275,363
Policies in force	62,105
Assuring (with Bonus additions)	£23,000,000
Annual Income	£1,423,565

Accumulated Funds—SEVEN AND A-HALF MILLIONS STERLING.

FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital	£800,000
Paid-up Capital	£400,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits	£96,584

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at CURRENT RATES, for 3, 6, and 12 Months.

All usual Banking Business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD,
Manager.

THE SYDNEY DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK.

BEAUMONT-CHAMBERS, 90, KING-STREET.

AGENCIES IN LONDON AND THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.

The following are the rates of interest allowed for FIXED DEPOSITS:—

3 years	9½ per cent.
12 months	8½ per cent.
6 months	7½ per cent.
3 months	6½ per cent.

Overdrafts granted against Deposit of Deeds, and all usual Banking Business transacted.

Communications from the country, addressed to the General Manager, will be promptly attended to.
H. LIKELY, Secretary.

GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Head Office: 11, Lombard-street, London.
Established 1821.

Subscribed Capital	£2,000,000
Capital Paid Up	£1,000,000
Total Funds upwards of	£3,000,000
Total Annual Income	£680,000

The undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at Sydney, are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against FIRE on the usual terms.
GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., 37, Pitt-street.

PROSPECTUS
of the
NEWCASTLE NEW WALLSEND COAL COMPANY,
Limited.

To be Registered under the Companies Act.

CAPITAL: £110,000, in 110,000 SHARES of £1 EACH, distributed as under:—
To the Vendors in part payment for the Estate of 2560 Acres, Freehold, 35,000 Shares of £1 each, to be fully paid up.
To Subscribers, 75,000 Shares of £1 each, to be paid up as follows:—On application, 2s 6d; on allotment, 2s 6d; and the balance in calls of 1s per share, as required at intervals of not less than one month from the date of registration.

Provisional Directors:

R. B. WALLACE, Esq., Newcastle	THOS. LITTLEJOHN, Esq., Sydney
ALEX. BROWN, Esq., Newcastle	T. H. KELLY, Esq., Sydney
H. STOKES, Esq., Newcastle	ROBT. PHILP, Esq., Sydney
T. BROOKS, Esq., Newcastle	J. Y. MILLS, Esq., Sydney
W. LAIDLEY, Esq., Sydney	M. D. M'EACHARN, Esq., E. Melbourne
EDWARD CHISHOLM, Esq., Sydney	JNO. M'ILWRAITH, Esq., E. Melbourne

Hon. N. FITZGERALD, Melbourne.

Bankers:
BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Solicitors:
Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN, Phillip-street, Sydney.

Brokers:
J. MULLENS and SON, 92, Pitt-street, Sydney.
WILLIAM NOALL, 4, Collins-street East, Melbourne.
R. R. KING, Newcastle.

This Company is formed to purchase and work the estate of 2560 acres freehold in the Parish of Teralba, adjoining the West Wallsend Coal Company. This is one of the few remaining great freehold estates with the Newcastle coal seams underlying the whole area.

The famous Wallsend seam is believed to exist below the whole surface, as proved by the West Wallsend shafts and the bores of the Monk-Wearmouth and other collieries adjacent, as well as by the bore on the property itself, as shown by the section herewith, as supplied from the Mines Department, Sydney.

A consumption of 30 acres per annum, based on a yearly output of 240,000 tons (the Newcastle Wallsend Company uses 30 acres per annum), will give the Company a life of 85 years from the Wallsend seam alone.

This mine possesses an important advantage over many of the mines now working in this district very profitably, viz., that it is freehold, and without any charge for royalty on the coal produced.

ESTIMATED PROFITS.

An output of 150,000 tons per annum, at 11s per ton, will give gross income	£82,500
Less cost free on board shipping, at 7s 9d	58,125
Gross profit	£24,375
Directors, Office, and other charges	2,000
Net profit	£22,375
Interest on debentures, £25,000, at 6 per cent.	1,500
	£20,875
Dividend at 15 per cent. on £110,000	16,500
Annual margin for depreciation	4,375
	£20,875

It is further to be borne in mind that the profit from sale of small coal will be a considerable item, in addition to the above.

As the coal trade is rapidly growing, the annual output in a few years may be expected to rise to 200,000 tons, and then to 250,000 tons, in which case the dividends would be proportionately increased.

The following tables give the trade of Newcastle since 1881, and the output of the leading collieries last year (1887):—

GOVERNMENT RETURNS OF EXPORT OF NEWCASTLE COAL.
TONS:

1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
1,351,395	1,419,192	1,781,956	2,051,845	2,133,372	2,178,116	2,360,438

OUTPUT OF LEADING COLLIERIES, 1887:

	Tons.
Newcastle Wallsend Coal Company	491,794
Australian Agricultural Company	374,254
Co-operative Coal Company	224,225
Lambton Coal Company	172,614
Duckenfield Colliery	203,407

The above tables will show how it is that the new mines as they are opened find profitable employment without injury to the older collieries. The trade is a growing one, and there is plenty of room for the new mines year by year.

The value of this freehold estate for surface only is very great, as it is a beautiful open champaign country, suitable in great part for farms, orchards, &c. The recent sales of the West Wallsend Coal Co. allotments have been at the rate of £120 per acre, and a large profit is anticipated outside sales of coal, from lease and sale of surface rights.

The vendors ask for this unique property the sum of about £31 per acre only, payable as under:—

In paid-up shares	£35,000
In cash payable within 18 months from date of registration, say in 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, and 18 months, by equal instalments ...	20,000
In debentures, having currency of five years, bearing 6 per cent. interest, and secured on the property	25,000
	£80,000

The Subscribed Capital, amounting to 75,000 Shares at £1, say £75,000, would be appropriated thus:—

To the Vendors, as above	£20,000
For cost of opening the Mine, Machinery, and Running Plant	55,000
	£75,000

The West Wallsend Coal Co. has just started on an expenditure of about £45,000; so the sum provided above (£55,000) is ample for all purposes.

The Railway of the Company will be about a mile in length to the West Wallsend Railway, which can be used on payment of traction rate, or on payment of part cost and maintenance.

There is an ample supply of timber on the estate, not only for the wants of the colliery, but for sale for building purposes. This feature in the property is of great importance, as many of the collieries are now at great expense for props.

The following table shows the value of the Wallsend Seam, which is worked by all the Mining Companies cited:—

Company.	Original value of share.	Present value.	Dividend.
Newcastle Wallsend Coal Co.	£10	£51 0 0	£5
Waratah Coal Company ...	6	14 10 0	None
Stockton Coal Company ...	1	2 12 0	20 per cent.
Newcastle Coal Company ...	10	16 10 0	15 per cent.
Burwood Coal Company ...	1	1 15 0	12½ per cent.
West Wallsend Coal Co. (New Co.) ...	1	1 6 0	None yet declared
Wickham, &c., Coal Company ...	1	1 5 0	Ditto
Hetton Coal Company ...	5	9 10 0	Ditto

There are other companies, English and private, working this same seam, and though their profits are not known, it is notorious that they could show results equal to the above.

The costs of floating, brokerage, and legal expenses would be a first charge on the company's assets.

Applications for shares must be sent to the Brokers in the annexed form, with a cheque for 2s 6d per share. The shares will be allotted, as far as possible, in the order of application, and the list closed as soon as the subscription is complete. All moneys will be returned in full if the Company is not formed.

ANALYSIS.

	Newcastle Wallsend.	Newcastle New Wallsend. Mr. Chas. Watt's Report.	Mr. W. Dixon's Report.
Moisture ...	2.75	1.96	1.61
Volatile Hydro-Carbon ...	34.17	34.13	31.84
Fixed Carbon ...	57.22	59.86	60.61
Ash ...	4.64	4.05	5.10
Sulphur ...	1.22	—	0.84
	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sulphur ...	...	0.62	...
Coke ...	61.86	63.91	65.71

PROSPECTUSES MAY BE OBTAINED of the UNDERSIGNED on APPLICATION:—
J. MULLENS and SON, 92, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
WILLIAM NOALL, 4, COLLINS-STREET EAST, MELBOURNE.
R. R. KING, NEWCASTLE.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY,
Limited,
corner of
PITT and MARKET STREETS (only),
Sydney.

Incorporated by Act of Council.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Hon. FRANCIS ABIGAIL, M.L.A., Chairman.

JOHN HURLEY, M.L.A.	JOHN SCOTT
JOHN VANN	Alderman JOHN MAHONEY
Alderman S. G. DAVISON, J.P.	J. F. MARTIN.

A DIVIDEND (the last declared), on 26th July, of 10 per cent. per annum, payable on and after the 10th of August, at the bank, corner of Pitt and Market streets, Sydney.

THE BANK TRANSACTS ALL USUAL BANKING BUSINESS in every particular.

Special Advantages granted to Commercial Clients.

Overdrafts Granted against Deposits of Deeds.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
At 3 months ... 4 per cent.
At 6 months ... 5 per cent.
At 12 months ... 6 per cent.

By order of the Board of Directors.
RODERICK M'NAMARA,
Acting-Manager.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE SOCIETY.

Established 1872.

Capital—£100,000, with power to increase to £1,000,000.
BONUSES—30 per cent., paid annually since 1873.

Directors:
Hon. John Sutherland, M.L.A., Chairman.

John Wetherill, Esq., J.P.	Wm. Hezlet, Esq., J.P.
James Green, Esq., J.P.	S. H. Cary, Esq.

FIRST FIRE SOCIETY ESTABLISHED in the COLONY on the MUTUAL PRINCIPLE, GIVING POLICY-HOLDERS BACK PART of their PREMIUMS as a CASH BONUS out of PROFITS EVERY YEAR.

Policy-holders are perfectly free by law from all liability.

Fifteen days' grace allowed for the payment of renewal premiums.

DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING AND EXPLOSIONS BY GAS PAID.

Prompt and liberal settlement for fires.
Fire Insurance at LOWEST RATES.
WALTER CHURCH, Manager.
HEAD OFFICES—CORNER PITT and KING STREETS.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,
Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£2,000,000
SUBSCRIBED AND PAID UP	557,000

HEAD OFFICE: 40, Threadneedle-street, LONDON.

Interest allowed on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Current Accounts opened, and all usual banking business transacted.

SYDNEY BRANCH: 190, PITT-STREET.

JAMES STEELE, Manager.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS
of the
COOKSVALE COSTIGAN SILVER-MINING COMPANY.

TUENA, NEW SOUTH WALES.

To be Registered as a No-Liability Company.

Attention is directed to clause 7 of the No Liability Act (under which this company will be registered) which states that "Shareholders are not liable to Calls or Contributions."

CAPITAL:
£60,000, IN 60,000 SHARES OF 20s. EACH,

Of which, 30,000 Shares fully paid up to Twenty Shillings are retained by the promoters as part payment for the property.
17,500 Shares paid up to Ten Shillings are reserved for future issue at such time as the directors may determine.
12,500 Shares paid up to Ten Shillings are now offered to the public on the following easy terms, viz.:—One Shilling per Share on application, One Shilling per Share on allotment, the balance of Eight Shillings per Share to be payable if required in calls not exceeding Sixpence per Share per month. Shares will be allotted, as far as possible, in order of application.

The whole of the application and allotment money will be placed to the credit of the company, less the usual charges for printing, &c., and the sum of £1000 to be retained by the promoters as part payment for the property and expenses already incurred.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS.
David Wilson, Esq. (Messrs. Mason Bros., Limited), Sydney
J. F. Carson, Esq., Sydney
W. Carrington, Esq., Ass. M. Inst., C.E., Manly
J. J. Costigan, Esq., Grazier, Cookevale
Albert Elkington, Esq. (Messrs. Fraser and Co.), Sydney.

BROKERS.
Sydney.—Oliver Trickett, 18, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street
Melbourne.—E. R. Cropper, 32, Collins-street West.

This Company is projected for the purpose of acquiring and working the silver ore deposits on two blocks of 40 acres each, and two blocks of 20 acres each, now applied for in the parish of Tuena, county of Georgiana, forming an approximate area of 120 acres. From the report of Dr. Robertson, M.E.F.G.S., &c., one of the highest authorities on mining in the colony, it will be seen that the Company will become possessed of a magnificent property on the Cook's Vale Creek, north of the Cordillera Mine and southerly of the Mount Costigan Mine.

For full reports from Dr. Robertson and others see Saturday's papers; or apply to the Sydney broker.

The greater part of the shares offered to the public have already been applied for.

The List will Close on Tuesday, the 31st July.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE).
HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Established 1858.

Paid-up Capital	£42,000
Reserve Fund	40,000

Board of Directors:
CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman;

HENRY AUSTIN, Esq.,	JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.
RICHARD BINNIE, Esq.	Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C.

Hon. JAMES WATSON, M.L.C.

MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.
WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.
HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

Businesses for Sale.

GIBBS and GIBBS, 189, PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET and WARBY'S HOTEL, for HOTELS.

GIBBS.—Hotel, tastefully and fully furnished, nice long bars, &c., fittings, lease 6½ yrs., £350, selling through death.

GIBBS.—City Hotel, £200, free lease, clear of brewers and everybody. See this extraordinary bargain at once.

GIBBS.—Hotel, best corner in Paddington, seldom changes hands, right away from competition, £500, a good thing.

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FIRST-CLASS BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT in the best locality in Sydney, for SALE; lease, good connection, well furnished. Apply Box 569, G. P. O.

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The well-known BUSINESS of the Carron Ironworks at Port Adelaide, S. A., established by Mr. Robert Lindsay in 1856, and continuously carried on by him since, is now offered for SALE, or to be LET as a going concern, the proprietor wishing to retire. The works are replete with the most modern appliances for carrying on in an extensive manner all departments of the business.

For further particulars apply to
Mr. ROBERT LINDSAY,
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FOR SALE, in William-street, 10 minutes' G. P. O., comfortably-furnished BOARDING-HOUSE; always full; £2 per week; contains 8 rooms, kitchen, bath, copper, gas; no reasonable offer refused; owner too ill to attend to it. Address E. DALE, General Post Office. Open three days.

COUNTRY STORE, Southern district, stock about £1000, returns over £3500, rent 20s, no opposition, owner leaving for England with competency, sound increasing business. E. BUTLER and CO., 51, Sydney Arcade.

COUNTRY STORE, stock about £9000, turnover £25,000. Particulars E. Butler and Co., 51, Sydney Arcade.

GENERAL STORE, Blue Mountains, stock about £500, suit married couple. 51, Sydney Arcade.

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, city, 9 years, low rent, splendid house, large bar trade, £1000. 119, King-street. (56.)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, Miller's Point, 7 years, rent 50s, billiards, 17 rooms, corner, £500. 119, King-street. (60)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, Surry Hills, £400, rent 36s 6d, over £40 weekly, good connection. 119, King-street. (62)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, Sydney, £700, rent 65s, lease 8 years, draws 8 36's, old established house. 119, King-st.

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, near wharves, big traffic, lease 8 years, rent £3, sure fortune, £350. 119, King-street. (68)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, cheapest in city, 7 years, low rent, proof trade £60 weekly. Further particulars, 119, King-st.

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, Woolloomooloo, 5 years, rent 57s, piano, nicely furnished, draws 5 36's. £400. 119, King-st.

CONFECTIONER'S Business, finest position in George-street, suit two ladies. Ivan Henry, 119, King-street. (15)

COACHBUILDER'S, in fine suburb, trade £12 weekly, splendid opportunity. Ivan Henry, 119, King-street. (18)

RESTAURANT, in the centre of city, established 10 years, trade £40, cheap. Ivan Henry, 119, King-st. (19)

BAKER'S, one of the finest suburbs, trade averages £20 weekly in smallgoods alone. Ivan Henry, 119, King-street.

POULTRY FARM, healthy suburb, 300 head poultry, large incubator cheap. Ivan Henry, 119, King-st. (32)

WATCH and Clock Repairing Business for Sale, owing to ill-health. Apply to J. W. Fletcher, 123, George-st. W.

FOR immediate SALE, new stock Boots, Shoes, gentlemen's Clothing, country. Bertaux, Hunter, Geo.-st. corner.

MARSH, 125, ELIZABETH-STREET.
Hotel, city corner, must sell, big advance
Hotel, suburb, long free lease, advance half
Hotels everywhere, at prices £100 to £5000, bargains.

FOR SALE, lease 8 years of one of the best and most central Hotels in Sydney, every comfort and convenience for doing a big bar and family trade. Particulars, MARSH, 125, Elizabeth-street.

BOOT TRADE.—To be SOLD at once, BUSINESS of Bespoken and Repairing Shop, good stand.
Apply EASY'S Hotel,
corner Oxford and Bourke streets.

JOSEPH and CO., Hotel Brokers, 120, King-st., opposite the Daily Telegraph Office. Established 1866.

JOSEPH and CO.—Hotel, Darling Harbour, lease 9 years, rent £3, ingoing £850, half cash. (318)

JOSEPH and CO.—Hotel, Botany-road, 9 years' lease, low rent, bar trade £30 weekly, £800. (318)

JOSEPH and CO. offer Hotel, Balmain, lease 6 years, large proof trade, ingoing £700. (317.)

JOSEPH and CO.—Hotel, heart of city, lease over 9 9 years, 2 bars, handsomely furnished, £1600. (314)

JOSEPH and CO. offer first-class suburban Hotel, 2 billiard tables, large bar trade, £1500 will secure this.

TOBACCONIST and Hairdresser's, best position, heart of city, large takings, low rental, rare chance. Joseph & Co.

NEWS Agency and Stationery, profits £7 weekly, low rental, trial given, £130, grand spec. Joseph and Co.

GROCERY, grand position, takings £100 weekly, rent 25s, proof trade, shop, 5 rooms, fortune. Joseph and Co.

BUTCHER'S, 7 bodies, 50 sheep, 8 sundries, low rental, grand premises, cheapest ever offered. Joseph and Co.

MILLINERY and Dressmaking, grand position, low rental, doing good trade, only £40, gift. Joseph and Co.

FOR SALE, a good cash Butchering BUSINESS, large shop, good yard; also 10-roomed house: rent for the lot, £1 6s a week; long lease. Apply Richmond Cottage, Castlereagh-street, Redfern.

BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT for immediate SALE, good country connection, rent £3 weekly; lease; price, £200; terms arranged, no agents. Trust, Herald.

NEEDHAM and CO., 76, Elizabeth-street, close Hunter-street, Boarding-house, Surry Hills, 7 boarders, £110.

BOARDING-HOUSE, city, 9 rooms, 10 permanent boarders, reduced from £200 to £110, must sell. Needham.

BOARDING-HOUSE, Phillip-street, 15 rooms, well furnished, with piano, only £170, 11 boarders. Needham.

NEWS Agency and Stationery, city, profits from papers £7 weekly, grand shop trade, small capital. Needham and Co.

CONFECTIONERY and Fruit, suburb, corner stand, capital trade, only £45, suit lady. Needham, 76, Eliz.-st.

GROCERY Store, city, 7 rooms and double shop, turn over £40 weekly, books shown, stock valuation. Needham.

POULTRY FARM, close Sydney, 10 acres, rent 5s, good house, 300 poultry, 2 horses, carts, &c. Needham.

BUTCHER'S, close city, corner stand, 7 rooms and stable, 20 sheep, 2½ bodies, and 3 sundries, top prices; owing to death of proprietor this old-established business must be sold at once. Particulars Needham, 76, Elizabeth-street.

WARDEN & CO., 93, Elizabeth-st., nr. King-st.—Sites for Hotels and Businesses for Sale. Auction sales conducted.

WARDEN and CO. make advances to assist purchasers into any kind of business, repayable to suit purchasers.

BOARDING-HOUSE, Dawes Point, full of boarders, low rent, piano, &c., £90, half cash; others. Warden and Co.

BAKERY, 1½ ton weekly and small goods, 2 horses, cart and all utensils, £100; easy terms. Warden and Co.

SHOPPEE, Hotel Broker, 199, Eliz.-st., nr. Bathurst-st.—Hotels, £100 cash and upwards, l. lease, low rent, bargain.

FRUIT and Confectionery BUSINESS for SALE, close to railway station in a convenient and rising suburb; rare opportunity for a young couple; stock, fixtures, &c., at valuation. BISHOP, Agent Burwood.

BROOKS, 85, CASTLEREAGH-ST., HOTELS
Many years with J. T. and J. Toohey.
BROOKS — Hotels, Suburbs, £2000, £2500 — HOTELS
Hotels, King-st., £2500, £4000, £1800
BROOKS — Hotels, S. Hills, £1450, 12 years' lease — HOTELS
Hotel, Eliz.-st., £2000, 10 years' lease
BROOKS — Hotel, Redfern, £750, £250 cash — HOTELS
Hotel, Glebe, £550, half-cash
BROOKS — Hotels, all parts, liberal cash assistance — HOTELS
Boarding-house, really good, £100.

FOR SALE, a good Wood and Coal BUSINESS, opposite Auckland Timber Co. Apply 19, Point-street, Pyrmont.

BAKERY for SALE, old-estab. business, all necessary requi., doing 1 ton weekly. 169, Cumberland-street.

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AUSTRALIAN WHITE WINE.—Carmichael's Porphyry, equal to best imported Hock, in cases 3 dozen pints, 12s 6d dozen; 2 dozen quarts, 21s per dozen
H. S. BIRD and CO., Macquarie-place.

GLENLIVET WHISKY, very old, in bulk, bottle, or jar. H. S. BIRD and CO., Macquarie-place.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN Frontignac, Tokay, Grenache, Muscadine, Port, Sherry, Madeira. H. S. Bird and Co.

LIGHT, MORE LIGHT. Get the Improved Electric BURNER, 60-candle power, fits ordinary lamps. Send for circular.
AGENCY, 357, George-street.

WYNDHAM'S CELEBRATED DALWOOD WINES,
in hogsheads, quarters, and octaves.
Apply the Manager,
Dalwood Vineyards,
Branxton.

LADIES Wire DRESS-STANDS, for draping dresses on, all latest improvements. Eastway's, 411, Geo.-st.

CANARY CAGES in endless variety, Parrot Cages all sizes. Eastway's Wireworks, 411, George-street.

FANCY WIRE FLOWER-STANDS, light and elegant in appearance. Eastway's Wireworks, 411, George-st.

FISHING TACKLE in endless variety, for line, net or rod fishing. Eastway's, 411, George-street.

HOPS, prime Kent, Bavarian, New Zealand, Tasmanian (Shoobridge's Black Horse) Malt, Brewing Crystals, Glucose, Isinglass, Black Malt, Empty Casks, and 400 and 200 gallon Iron Tanks, on SALE. T. and W. WILLIS, 15, Pitt-street.

OPAL Letters and Figures, all sizes, in stock; estimates given. R. FOY, 17, Hamilton-street, off Hunter-street.

DAVIDSON'S Limestone FILTERS are the best. T. Davidson, manufacturer, Marion-street, Enmore.

TANKS.—100, 200, and 400 gallon Ship's Iron Water TANKS, cheap. W. Robinson, 67, Sussex-street.

TANKS, best London make, still further reduced. J. T. and J. Toohey, Standard Brewery, Elizabeth-street.

GAS Cooking.—Raleigh's "Paragon" cooking To-day, To-morrow, and Thursday, from 11 till 1. 253, Elizabeth-st.

ILLUSTRATED DESCRIPTIVE PRICE LIST OF OUR HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES FREE ON APPLICATION.
Cooking Stoves for Coal, Coke, and Wood
Ditto ditto—Gas, or Kerosene Oil
Combined Mangles and Wringers
Washers, Mangles, and Wringers combined.

Knife Cleaners, Meat Mincers	Stepladders	
Fruit Preserving Jars	Extension Lattice Work	
Carpet Sweepers	Incubators	Beehives, &c.

HEBBLEWHITE and CO., 416, George-street, Sydney.

INCUBATORS.—120-egg, £10; 70-egg, £6; reliable self-regulating. Hebblewhite and Co.

HAMS. HAMS. HAMS.
Just arrived, ex Ormuz,
100 Cases BELL'S Prime YORK HAMS.
ONLY ONE SHILLING per lb.
At JAMES KIDMAN'S,
Oxford-street, and George and Market streets.

Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

E. M'CARTY and CO.'S CLEARING SALE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. E. M'Carty and Co. to sell by auction, on their premises, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
6 useful upstanding saddle and harness horses, well broken and used to trams.

CONTINUATION
of
Messrs. E. M'CARTY and CO.'S CLEARING OUT SALE.

TO COACHBUILDERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

About
25 Vehicles, 120 Sets of Harness, and 80 Saddles, Lamps, Wheels, Axles, Springs, and all Building Materials necessary to coachbuilding.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

In consequence of Expiration of Lease and Premises being Pulled Down.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. E. M'Carty and Co. (the well-known coachbuilders), 210 and 212½, Pitt-street, to sell by auction, on the premises,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 31st INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp,
About 25 vehicles, consisting of buggies (single and double), sociables, &c.
120 sets of English, American, and colonial harness
80 saddles.
Also,
Lamps, wheels, axles, springs, &c., and all building materials necessary to coachbuilding.

The above is the balance of Messrs. E. M'Carty and Co.'s extensive stock, which time would not permit of being offered on first day of sale.

Also,
A well-matched pair of creamy Java ponies, about 10½ hands, quiet, and good goers, with light American buggy and harness, making one of the neatest turnouts of its kind in the city.

NOTICE.—All goods sold last Friday and not taken delivery of by 10 a.m. This Morning will be resold at the risk of former purchasers.

TO BREEDERS and OTHERS.

THOROUGHBRED STALLION EXCELSIOR.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. T. M'Carthy, Morpeth, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
EXCELSIOR, brown stallion by Gemma de Vergy (imp.), from Vennetta by Sir Hercules, &c. He is an aged horse, but perfectly sound, very handsome, and a sure foal-getter; he has performed well on the turf.

Full particulars at the office. He is now on view at the Bazaar.

STYLISH HARNESS HORSE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
A handsome bay gelding, 5 years, quiet in single and double harness, and used to trams.

SADDLE and HARNESS MARE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
A grey mare, quiet and good in saddle and harness; trial given.

3 HORSES, PAGNEL CART, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
2 good saddle and harness horses
A horse, pagnel cart, and harness.

FIRST-CLASS DOGCART AND HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
A stylish dogcart and harness.

2 ACTIVE HARNESS HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
A black mare, quiet in saddle and harness, and will pull a ton if required.
A grey gelding, ditto ditto ditto.

TO RACING MEN AND OTHERS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
KINGSCRAFT, brown horse, by Kingsworth—Miss Lee, 5 years old, and winner of many races
FISHHOOK, brown gelding, by the Barb, dam Flora, 5 years old, a grand hackney.
Full particulars at sale.

2 ACTIVE DRAUGHTS FROM NEWCASTLE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. Campbell, Newcastle, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
2 active draught bay colts, 3 years off, and unbroken.
Without reserve.

THOROUGHBRED FILLY, by FERNDALE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
A bay filly, 3 years, 14.2, by Ferndale, out of a thoroughbred mare.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.

THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tip drays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings, well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.

STYLISH BAY BUGGY MARE, RELIABLE BAY HARNESS GELDING.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. R. STAFFORD to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A very stylish bay buggy mare, thoroughly broken to saddle and harness, and exceptionally fast
Bay gelding, 5 years, very reliable in harness; bred by Dangar. Deserving of inspection.

BLUE ROAN GELDING, SPRING DRAY, and HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. CREAGH, Burwood, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
The above, owing to owner having no further use for them.

BAY SADDLE and HARNESS MARE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay mare, rising 5 years, 16 hands, broken to saddle and harness, good in both.

VERY SUPERIOR BUGGY TURNOUT
ALSO D. S. BUGGY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
Very stylish chestnut gelding, exceptionally reliable in harness
Double-seated hooded buggy and harness, a splendid turnout.
Also, a light running double-seated buggy, in first-class order, deserving of inspection.

FOUR EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS,
in grand condition, subject to trials.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. R. COOK, Marrickville, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
Pair extra heavy black draught geldings, subject to trial
Pair ditto ditto bay ditto ditto.

The above horses are exceptionally good, in grand condition, and superior to anything offered at auction for months, and are only parted with owing to Mr. Cook being slack of work; and are deserving of special attention.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY, 31st inst.

20 MITTAGONG HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. IGGINS, Mittagong, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards THIS DAY, TUESDAY, July 31, at 2.30 p.m.,
20 SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES, consisting of heavy draught colts and fillies in grand condition, described as a really first-class lot.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 31st instant.

20 ORANGE DISTRICT HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. EDGAR and MATTHEWS, Orange, to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
20 upstanding colts, possessing quality and substance, suited for dray, van, and 'bus work, all 4 years old, in grand condition, fit for immediate work.

BAY DRAUGHT GELDING, FROM CASTLE HILL.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the Owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 4 o'clock,
Bay heavy draught colt, 4 years old, from Castle Hill.
Also,
A mastiff kangaroo hound, 13 months old.

TO BREEDERS, HEAVY CARRIERS, DRAYMEN, and OTHERS.

25 NEW ZEALAND HORSES.

Per S.S. WAIHORA.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. ALEXANDER, Dunedin, New Zealand, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, on THURSDAY next, AUGUST 2nd proximo, at 12 o'clock,
The thoroughbred stallion Young Traducer, by Traducer (imp.) from Lady Ellen, &c., &c.
Also,
24 HEAD REALLY FIRST-CLASS HEAVY DRAUGHT MARES and GELDINGS, described as a really grand lot, fit for all kinds of heavy carriers, draymen, and contractors' work.

The above horses are due to arrive by steamer to-day, and will be on view at the Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Wednesday.

FULL PARTICULARS TO-MORROW'S ISSUE.

SYDNEY.

AUGUST 13 and 14, 1888.

ANNUAL SALE
of
STUD HORSE STOCK,
including
THOROUGHBRED, COACHING, TROTTING,
and
DRAUGHT STALLIONS,
CLEVELAND and CLYDESDALE MARES.
Also,
PONY STALLIONS and MARES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON hereby notify to the Breeders and Horseowners of the AUSTRALIAN COLONIES and NEW ZEALAND that they will hold their NINTH ANNUAL SALE of STUD HORSE STOCK, at their Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, Sydney, on AUGUST 13 and 14 next.

As Catalogues are now being prepared, parties not having sent in particulars of their stock will oblige by forwarding them at once.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

THIS DAY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
THIS DAY, 11.30 a.m.,
FIRST-CLASS BUGGY HORSES, warranted sound, and any trial given
FIRST-CLASS HACKNEYS
UPSTANDING HORSES, suitable for 'bus work
SPRING CARTS, BUGGIES, and HARNESS.

THE MOST STYLISH CHILDREN'S TURNOUT IN THE COLONY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the owner (who is leaving for England) to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, Monday, 11.30 a.m.,
New children's CART, to hold four
Beautiful and quiet PONY, with HARNESS.

The above is a very stylish and complete turnout, and sold only on account of owner leaving the colony.

JET BLACK SHETLAND PONY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW at 11.30 a.m.,
The above splendid pony, broken to saddle and harness; trial given.

TO PRIVATE FAMILIES, DAIRYMEN, and others.

WEEKLY SALE of DAIRY COWS.

TO-MORROW, at 11 a.m.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the Proprietors to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 a.m.,
20 choice milch cows, with young calves at foot, including a few splendid cows from New Zealand.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. John Donahoe, of Muswellbrook, to sell by auction, at Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY, 8th August, at 2.30 p.m.,
30 head of active and heavy draught COLTS and FILLIES, and light HORSES, suitable for all kinds of light harness.

FOR PRIVATE SALE,
DRAUGHT MARES AND GELDINGS, HACKS, BUGGY, AND VAN HORSES.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have for Private SALE the above, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street.

EVERY INFORMATION AFFORDED TO BUYERS, AND TRIALS GIVEN.

TO HORSE-BREEDERS AND OTHERS.

ANNUAL SALE OF STUD HORSES, PEDIGREE MARES, PONY STALLIONS, &c., &c.

BROWN BROS. and CO. beg to notify that they purpose holding a SALE as above, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, EARLY IN AUGUST, and will be glad to receive particulars of STOCK intended for SALE at an EARLY DATE, so that particulars may appear in catalogue.
BROWN BROS. and CO., Auctioneers, &c.
July 2, 1888.

N.B.—JUST ARRIVED from VICTORIA and SOUTH AUSTRALIA, a SPLENDID LOT of STALLIONS, the property of Messrs. ROSS and M'GREGOR, of BALLARAT, including ROADSTERS, COACHING, and HEAVY DRAUGHTS, and some CHOICE PONIES, now on view. PEDIGREES and FULL PARTICULARS on application to the AUCTIONEERS.

AYRSHIRE COWS, HEIFERS, AND BULLS,
direct from
Mr. K. B. FERGUSSON'S STUD,
New Zealand.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. K. B. Fergusson, of Waitati Stud Farm, Dunedin, to sell privately, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
15 Pure-bred AYRSHIRE COWS and HEIFERS, some in full milk, others close to calving
2 Pedigree AYRSHIRE BULLS.

Catalogues, with full particulars, on application.

T. COSGROVE has received instructions from the owners to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
30 head of horses, consisting of stylish hackneys, buggy, springcart, and draught horses
A number of vehicles of all descriptions.

800 COWS, 3 to 5 years
600 BULLOCKS, 3 and 4 years
250 STEERS and HEIFERS.

At the Mudgee Saleyards.

THURSDAY, 23rd AUGUST.

CROSSING and COX have received instructions from Wm. Smith, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Mudgee Saleyards, on THURSDAY, 23rd August, at 12 o'clock,
The above choice well-bred cattle, in forward condition, from the Mole and Cow-hail.
To be classed to suit buyers.
Terms at sale.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at his Stores, at 10 o'clock, Leather and furskins.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, the 31st instant, at 10 o'clock, BUTCHERS' GREEN SHEEPSKINS.
TERMS, CASH.

WEEKLY LEATHER SALE.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction THIS DAY, Tuesday, July 31, at 10.30 sharp, in their Warehouses, Macquarie-place,
Sole, kip, calf, harness, &c.
Terms, cash.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell by auction THIS DAY (Tuesday), at their Stores, Circular Quay, commencing at 10 o'clock, the following:—
Bales greasy wool
Green sheepskins
Dry sheepskins.

WEEKLY LEATHER SALE.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, at their Leather Sale Rooms, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock prompt,
Bales leather

WOOL SALE.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 1 o'clock sharp,
Bales and sacks of wool.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
Bales wool and sheepskins. Also, Circular Quay, 11 o'clock, Marsupial skins.

PIGS and CALVES.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Corporation Yards, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
150 pigs, 20 calves.

JOHN EVANS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the New Meat Market, Harris-street, at 10 o'clock sharp,
40 hind-quarters prime Orange beef
40 crops ditto ditto
80 quarters prime Strathearn beef
100 quarters prime beef, various owners
150 prime carcases mutton, from South.

BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Government Meat Market, Pyrmont, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
300 carcases prime mutton, from Goulburn
52 quarters prime beef, South.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction sale This Day, at 12 o'clock, beef, mutton, &c. H. M'Namara.

MARSUPIAL SKINS, LEATHER.

MORT and CO., Limited, will sell by public auction, at their Warehouses, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
Bales above.
Terms, cash.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN and M. A. CO., Limited, will sell by auction, at their Stores, THIS DAY, at 10 a.m.,
Furred skins.

THE SOUTH COAST AND WEST CAMDEN CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, Limited,
will sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
THIS DAY,
at their ROOMS,
SUSSEX and LIVERPOOL STREETS.

10.15 a.m., BUTTER, factory and best dairy sorts, also other produce
11.15 a.m., POULTRY
11.30 a.m., LIVE STOCK, at Co-operation Sale Yard, Market-street.

PASTRY BUTTER. PASTRY BUTTER.
very superior samples, immense selection.

STORAGES and SPACES to LET,
at lowest possible rates.

SPECIAL HAULAGE FACILITIES.

INSPECTION INVITED
INSPECTION INVITED.

PRODUCE SALE at DARLING HARBOUR.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour Railway Station, THIS DAY, at half-past 9 o'clock sharp,
Hay, straw, chaff, wheat, maize, pumpkins, &c.

HAY, CHAFF, BRAN, STRAW, &c.

AT DARLING HARBOUR RAILWAY STATION,
THIS DAY,
at 9.30 a.m.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING CO., Limited, will sell by auction, as above.

TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock.

750 Sacks Extra Prime
MILLING and FEED OATS.

TATE BROS., Limited, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock sharp,

The above consignment of really prime oats, in lots to suit purchasers.

TERMS, CASH.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT
of
SALVAGE SALE.

The SALE of 2500 SACKS of BRAN from the late Fire at Melliday and Co.'s premises
WILL TAKE PLACE
on
FRIDAY NEXT,
instead of To-day, as advertised.
TATE BROTHERS, Limited,
Auctioneers.

TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock.

2500 Sacks ADELAIDE and NEW ZEALAND BRAN.
Salvage from the late fire on Messrs. Melliday and Co.'s premises, Sussex-street.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY AND TRADING CO., Limited, have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 158, Sussex-street, on FRIDAY NEXT, August 3, at 12 o'clock sharp,

2500 sacks bran (some slightly damaged by water), in lots to suit purchasers.

Terms, cash. No reserve.

SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Newtown Station, at 7 o'clock, Firewood.
At Darling Harbour Terminus, at 8 o'clock, firewood.
At his Mart, 741, George-street, at 3 o'clock,
Turkeys, geese, ducks, fowls, hares
Butter, bacon, cheese, eggs, and sundries.

TO ENGINEERS, MECHANICS, AND OTHERS.

RICHARDSON and NIXON have been instructed by Messrs. Don, Irving, and Co. to sell by auction on the Premises, 110, Liverpool-street, on WEDNESDAY next, August 1, at 2 o'clock sharp,
The whole stock of an engineering establishment, as described below:
2½-horse Tangye engine and 4-horse Shanks boiler
9-inch screw-cutting and surfacing lathe, 14ft. gap bed, turn 4ft. by 12in., face plate, chuck plate, guides, tools, &c., &c.
6in. screw cutting lathe, 6ft. gap bed, face plate, chuck plate, guides, tools, &c.
Drilling-machine, drills, &c.
New bellows, water tool iron and tank, anvil, sledge hammers, good stock of tools, tongs, &c.
30ft. of 1¼in. shafting and pulleys
Emery spindles, pulleys and wheels
Grindstone and pulleys complete
Set of stock and dyes, screw plate and taps
Vices, chisels, and files
Quantity good useful patterns
Testing screw for springs
10ft. common lathe, complete
Furnace for heating springs
Steam gear for bellows
Quantity of ⅝in. rod spring steel and other steel, suit toolmakers
Tye bolts, &c., &c.

As Messrs. Don and Irving are about leaving the colony for America (on business in connection with Don's Patent Steam Preventer), every line will be disposed of. The business is in full swing, and doing a good trade.
Inspection invited.
RICHARDSON and NIXON, Auctioneers,
Engine-street.

TO SHIPCHANDLERS, PLUMBERS, and OTHERS.

AUCTION SALE,
THIS DAY,
at No. 5, Blackwall Stores, Circular Quay,
at 2.30 o'clock sharp.

OATLEY and CAHILL have received instructions from the Hon. Edward Flood, M.L.C., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 2.30 o'clock sharp,
Steam and hand winches
Rope, drying sheets, deal doors
Nails, staples, slates, old iron and copper
Flooring and lining boards
Scales, wheelbarrow, &c., &c.

NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
At 5, Cliff-terrace, Wigram-street, Forest Lodge.
Austrian Chairs, Couches, Carpets, Cornices, Tables, China, Glassware, Cutlery, E.P. Ware, Matting, Curtains, Clocks, Drawers, Bedsteads, 3 Glasses, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, Forest Lodge,
The above. Terms, cash.
Office—Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

WEDNESDAY, at 2 o'clock.
At 72, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo, near Bay,
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SEWING MACHINE, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed by Mr. Smith to sell by auction, on the premises,
The above. Terms, cash.
Office—Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, AND OTHERS.

LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction, at corner Druitt and Clarence streets, THIS DAY, July 31, at 11 o'clock,
The building materials six houses—joisting, scantling, bedding, rafters, lining, flooring and weather boards, French casements, doors, balcony railing, iron gates, sills, hearth stones, grates, mantelpieces, doors, windows, 300 sheets galvanised iron, 300,000 bricks, basecourse stone, &c. (nearly new), 200,000 bricks, basecourse stone, &c.
LENEHAN and CO., 41, Goulburn and George streets.

AT 28, OXFORD-STREET,
WAVERLEY.

On
WEDNESDAY NEXT,
at 11 a.m.

ADRAIN and WINDROSS will sell by auction as above
The remaining stock of MILLINERY and DRAPERY left from Monday's sale; also,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

RE THE GREAT SALE OF THE LILBURN DALE ESTATE FARMS,
NEXT TUESDAY, 7th August, at 1.30 p.m.
at the
ROYAL HOTEL, WINDSOR.

A FREE COACH now leaves the Royal Hotel, Windsor, EVERY DAY up to the Day of Sale, for the convenience of buyers, returning same day or otherwise, if desired.
Get a Lithograph, and Inspect.

T. TATE and CO., 158, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

On the Premises,
80, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.
Under instructions from
JAS. M'CARTHY, Esq.

The whole of his
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
including
MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in fine Italian Walnut, iron bound, overstrung, trichord throughout, by the celebrated makers, Collard and Collard, of London.
Walnut Music Canterbury.
HANDSOME MARBLE CLOCK, Cathedral Gong.
Plush Corner Brackets. Corner Whatnots.
WALNUT MARBLE-TOP CHIFFONIER.
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in finely-carved Walnut Frames, and upholstered in green-figured Damask.
Parian Marble Busts. Japanese Ornaments
Inlaid Pearl Occasional Chairs.
Gipsy Tables. Walnut Loo Tables.
Lace and Tapestry Curtains.
MAGNIFICENT BRUSSELS CARPETS. Large Skin Rugs.
Bronze Statuettes.
BLACK AND GOLD OVERMANTELS.
SPLENDID OAK HALL SUITE.
MASSIVE SIDEBOARD IN CARVED OAK.
Oak Dinner Waggon.
TELESCOPE DINING TABLE in Oak.
DINING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in Green Morocco.
ICE CHEST in Oak, en Suite.
Austrian Bentwood Chairs, with Cane Seats and Backs.
BLACK ENAMELLED AND BRASS FOUR-POST BEDSTEADS.
Wove Wire Spring Mattresses.
MAHOGANY CHESTS OF DRAWERS.
Mahogany Toilet Glasses.
Mahogany Washstands. Sets of Toilet Ware.
Walnut Settee, Couches.
Bentwood Towel Rails. Bedroom Chairs.
SPLENDID GAS STOVES.
Asbestos Warming Stoves.
Kitchen Utensils. Laundry Requisites.
COLLECTION of FERNS.
&c. &c. &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from JAMES M'CARTHY, Esq., to hold the above IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION of his superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, at his residence, 80, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

CATALOGUES have been prepared, and may be obtained at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Importers.

1700 bags and pockets QUEENSLAND and COLONIAL SUGARS
20 cases SAFFRON
50 ditto ASSORTED JAMS
50 ditto Durand HALF SARDINES
5 ditto ANCHOVIES
30 ditto Morton's FRESH HERRINGS
50 ditto PRESERVED MEATS
50 ditto LONDON VINEGAR
25 Quarter-casks DITTO
500 boxes CANDLES
20 Hogsheads MOLASSES
100 boxes ELEME RAISINS
58 cases DANDELION COFFEE, 2, 4, and 6 dozens
8 ditto MILLET BROOMS, Red Handle
8 ditto DITTO, Polished Handle
25 ditto CUTTY PIPES
76 boxes Cork CUTTY PIPES
50 cases Half-pint CASTOR OIL
260 dozen CLOTHES LINES
46 cases CONDENSED MILK
120 dozen Half-pint CURRY POWDER
2cwt. CURRY POWDER
74 cases packet HOPS, ½lb. and 1lb.
11 casks BARCELONA NUTS
1 case Morton's SEIDLITZ POWDERS
4 ditto Kew's pint LUCCA OIL
103 boxes Swinbourne's ISINGLASS, assorted sizes
280 ditto Swinbourne's GELATINE, assorted sizes
&c., &c.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Tobacconists, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account of Whom it may Concern. With all Faults.

Ex Trafalgar, from London.

75 Cases COFFEE and MILK.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account of Whom it May Concern.
To Close Accounts.

70 Quarter-casks TARRAGONA PORT WINE.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.

Ex Bothwell Castle, from London:
58 Coils FENCING WIRE
50 Cases WIRE NAILS.

Ex Derwent, from London:
22 Cases WIRE NAILS.

Ex North, from Hamburg:
4 Cases BENTWOOD CHAIRS.

To Stock and Station Agents, Builders, Ironmongers, Furniture Warehousemen, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.
Ex Evie Reed, from New York.

2 Cases (each 5000) CIGARS.

The above are stored in the Australian Bond, where intending purchasers are invited to inspect. Inspection Orders will be obtainable at the Offices of the Auctioneers.

To Tobacconists, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
150 Bags COCOANUTS.
To Wholesale and Retail Fruiterers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, JULY 31, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY,
at
half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

AMERICAN and COLONIAL-MADE BUGGIES,
comprising
SINGLE BUGGIES, with and without hoods
DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGIES, with brake and lamps
EXPRESS WAGGONS, Sociables
AMERICAN CONCORD BUGGIES.

3 Cases AMERICAN BUGGY HARNESS,
also,
PATENT FOLDING PERAMBULATORS, BABY CARRIAGES, &c., &c., &c.

To Coachbuilders, Livery Stable Proprietors, Fancy Repositories, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

2 Cases ELECTROPLATED WARE
2 Tons GLUE
3 Cases British KNIFE POLISH
1 Case Cooper's PLATE POLISH
20 Dozen Sidaway's NAVY SHOVELS
49 Ditto SCREW AUGERS
17 Bags HORSESHOE NAILS
20 SNIDER RIFLES
4 Universal BROADCAST SEED SOWERS
12 PLOUGHS, assorted
2 Tons OCTAGON STEEL.

To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE, BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults.

Ex Blairgowrie, from London.

200 Casks ANCHOR BRAND CEMENT
(damaged by sea water).

The bulk may be inspected at Messrs. R. Morison Stewart and Co.'s stores, Nicholson-street, Woolloomooloo. Sample casks will be on view at the Rooms.

To Builders, Contractors, Ironmongers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Centurion, from Hamburg.

42 Cases AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE,
comprising
Chairs, Nos. 18, 14, 11-14, 29
Arm Chairs, Nos. 14, 18, 20, 11-14
Rocking Chairs, Children's Rocking Chairs,
in
Walnut, Black, and Palissandre

To Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

OPEN and DISPLAYED SALE BY AUCTION
of
10 Cases SPLENDID SILVER PLATED WARE,
comprising
Novelties of beautiful finish and design,
and eminently suited for
Wedding and Birthday Gifts, &c.

This CHOICE SELECTION
includes
MOUNTED TABLE GONGS, Smokers' Companions
Card Trays and Receivers, in various styles
Elegant Strawberry and Cream Dishes
Toast Racks, Tea Bells, Letter Weights
Tea Caddies, Tobacco Jars, Biscuit Barrels
Sets of Salad Servers and Bowls
Splendidly finished Menu Holders
Fitted Cases of Salts and Spoons, Fruit Spoons
Sardinieres, Marmalade and Jam Dishes
Ornamental Plateaux, Flask and Sandwich Cases
Oil and Vinegar Frames, Toddy Kettles
Ice Pitchers, Crystal Claret Jugs
Chased and Embossed Salvers and Waiters
Trinket Boxes and Jewel Cases, satin-lined
Table Spoons and Forks, in cases
Handsome Butter Coolers and Sugar Bowls
Splendid Entree and Buffet Dishes, in sets
Cake Baskets, Sauce Frames
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Jewellers, Furnishing Ironmongers, Fancy Repositories, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions to arrange the above COLLECTION of SILVER-PLATED WARE for SALE by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 1st August, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.
TERMS AT SALE.

IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

A SELECT PARCEL (indent) of GENERAL DRAPERY,
comprising
COTTON, FLANNELETTE, and CRIMEAN SHIRTS
FLANNEL and MERINO UNDERSHIRTS
FANCY DRESS STUFFS, CASHMERES, TWEEDS
UNDERCLOTHING, COSTUMES, JACKETS
HOSIERY, GLOVES, PARACHUTES, TIES
SCARFS, WOOL SHAWLS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS
CRETONNES, FLAX SHEETINGS, PRINTS
LONGCLOTHS, SHEETINGS, and GREYS
FELT HATS, UMBRELLAS, COLLARS
WHITE SHIRTS, CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., &c.
GENT.'S SOLID LEATHER BAGS.

A nice indent of goods, suited for country or suburban businesses.

KELLETT and ALFORD are favoured with instructions from the Agents to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 sharp,
13 packages seasonable goods, ordered for this season.

To be sold at importer's risk.

Including varieties of the above goods.

No reserve.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

With all faults.
JW over S in triangle.

8-1 case SERGE TROUSERS and SHIRTS, AF
9-1 case SERGE SHIRTS, sound.

KELLETT and ALFORD are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 sharp,
The above.
And immediately afterwards,
Portion of the stock of a city clothing establishment, comprising
Suits, trousers, overcoats, trousers and vests
Fancy vests, children's and boys' suits
Coats, knicker suits, felt hats, &c., &c.

No reserve.

WOOLLAHRA.

THIS DAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock.
At 62, DENISON-STREET, off Queen-street, WOOLLAHRA.

ALEX. MOORE and CO. are instructed by Mrs. Turner to sell by public auction, on the premises,
SIDEBOARD, PLATE-GLASS BACK, dining and other tables, AUSTRIAN SUITE, Eugenie couch, overmantel, clock, oleographs, ornaments, combination and other chests drawers
TUBULAR BEDSTEADS and bedding, toilet tables and glasses, washstands and ware, kitchen and laundry utensils, &c.

Terms, cash.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, at 11 o'clock.
At 197, VICTORIA-STREET, DARLINGHURST.

ALEX. MOORE and CO. are instructed by Mrs. Gwynne to sell by public auction, on the premises,
THE WHOLE OF HER SUPERIOR HOUSEHODD FURNITURE and effects complete, Austrian suite, dining and other tables, pier glass, carpets, cheffonier, bedsteads and bedding, chest drawers, washstands and ware, toilet tables and glasses, crockery, kitchen utensils, &c.

Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock.
In the Bankrupt Estate of J. W. Black, M'Kenzie-street, Balmain.
STOCK of GROCERIES.
Teas, in half-chests, boxes, and packages; Jams, Jellies, Preserves, Nuts, Sauce, Pickles, Matches, Starch, Keen's Blue, Kippered and Fresh Herrings, Lobster, Salmon, Sardines, Soap, Candles, Rice, Oatmeal, Sago, Twine, Epps' and Taylor Bros.' Cocoa, Potted Meat, Preserved Milk, Currants, Paper Bags, Raisins, Lollies, Biscuits, Dates, and a quantity of first-class Lollies.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions from the Official Assignee in the above estate to sell by auction at their Rooms, 280, Pitt-street, The above.

THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock.
Gold and Silver Chronographs, English Levers and Walthams
Diamond Cluster, Half-hoop, and Single Stone Rings
Heavy Gold Alberts, Necklets, Diamond Lockets
Gold Bracelets, Diamond Brooches and Earrings, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, the unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. E. Davis, 655, George-st., Haymarket.

To Storekeepers, Hawkers, Dealers, and others.
THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2 o'clock.
Men's and Boys' Suits, Trousers and Vests, White and Coloured Shirts, large quantity of Black and Coloured Hats, Blankets, Hosiery.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions from Mr. J. Murphy (who is retiring from the pawnbroking and clothing business) to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock, Stock of men's clothing, &c.

THIS DAY, at 11.
BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
On Premises, 175, GEORGE-STREET WEST, back entrance.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE only,
Sundries, &c., &c.
At back entrance, 175, George-street West.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 11.

Cash at once, no cheques. Office—Newtown Markets.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock.
10, ST. MARY'S-STREET, KINGSTON.
BUILDING MATERIALS AND SUNDRIES.
Single-Purchase Crab Winch, Cedar Doors, Scaffolding, Ladders, Timber, Ropes, Nails, Locks, &c., &c.

T. PHILLIPS will sell the above by auction, on the premises, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock. Terms, cash. Auction Offices, 50, Enmore-road, Newtown.
OUT-DOOR SALES Conducted with despatch.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st, at 11 o'clock.

UNRESERVED SALE
of
GENERAL DRAPERY, CLOTHING, &c.

To be SOLD in TRADE LINES.

78 ORIGINAL PACKAGES,
comprising
Superior Hosiery, Mercery, Shirts, Hats, Gloves
Underclothing, Dress Goods, Costumes, Mantles
Holland and Diaper Pinafores, Aprons, Infant Pelisses
White and Grey Calicoes, Sheetings, Silesias, Hollands
Flannels, Blankets, Rugs, Carpets, Floorcloths
Men's and Boys' Ready-made Clothing, Cotton Shirts
Cardigan Jackets, Silk Handkerchiefs, Undershirts
Millinery, Haberdashery, Laces, Embroideries.

A CLOTHIER'S STOCK, ABOUT 40 LOTS MEN'S CLOTHING, VALUABLE CEDAR FITTINGS, 21 DRAWERS, PLATEGLASS MIRRORS.

BOOTS and SHOES. BOOTS and SHOES.

TERMS LIBERAL, at SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, August 1st, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

Full particulars at Sale.

DOUBLE BAY.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 31st JULY,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
at
THE RESIDENCE of the LATE W. P. WOOLCOTT, Esq.,
HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY.

Under instructions from
THE ADMINISTRATOR to the ESTATE,
of the whole of the
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and EFFECTS,
comprising—
HANDSOME SOLID MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, fitted with Trays, Drawers, and Cellarette, size 6ft. 6in.
WALNUT DINNER WAGGON, with DRAWER
SOLID OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE, consisting of Couch, 2 Easy Chairs, and 6 Small Chairs, upholstered in stamped dark green velvet
8ft. EXTENSION DINING TABLE
MAHOGANY HALL TABLES and HALL SEATS
LARGE BAGATELLE BOARD
SUPERIOR MAHOGANY BOOKCASE
LARGE SOLID ROSEWOOD OVAL TABLE
AUSTRIAN CANE COUCH
SUPERIOR BRUSSELS CARPET
VERY HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in solid Walnut. The frames richly carved and upholstered in Genoa Velvet with Plush Borders, consisting of Settee, Lady's and Gentleman's Easy Chairs, 2 Occasional Chairs, and 4 small chairs
ELEGANT PIER GLASS, in EBONISED and GOLD FRAME, with hand-painted cove top, the centre mirror of bevelled plate glass, and the sides fitted with numerous shelves
Walnut and Inlaid Half-Circle Card Table
FINE WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS and OIL PAINTINGS
HANDSOME EBONISED MUSIC CABINET
THE MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE
by
LIPP and SOHN.
A very high-class instrument, in splendid order, and worthy the inspection of intending purchasers.

THE AMERICAN ORGAN (5-stop),
in
HANDSOME WALNUT CASE,
by
THE STERLING ORGAN COMPANY.

The Appointments of
SEVERAL BEDCHAMBERS,
including
HANDSOME ASH and WALNUT SUITE
POLISHED PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES
SUPERIOR BEDSTEADS and BEDDING
complete
FIRST-CLASS LINOLEUM
(almost new)
&c., &c.

Also,
KITCHEN FURNITURE and UTENSILS
GAS STOVE.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions from the ADMINISTRATOR to the ESTATE of the LATE W. P. WOOLCOTT, Esq., to sell by auction THIS DAY, Tuesday, 31st JULY, at 11 o'clock a.m., at his late RESIDENCE, HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY,
The whole of the
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and
EFFECTS.

ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE.

. HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY,
is
CLOSE TO THE 'BUS STAND,
OCEAN-STREET.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 31.

To Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

REGULAR WEEKLY
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
comprising—
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES
CEDAR and PINE WARDROBES, plate-glass doors
Portable and Combination CHESTS DRAWERS
Elegant Cedar and Pine BEDROOM SUITES
Massive Cedar SIDEBOARDS, with plate-glass back
Cedar and Pine CHESTS DRAWERS
CHIFFONIERS, BOOKCASES
Pine and Cedar TOILETS, marble top, tiled back
CHIFFONIER SAFES, WASHSTANDS
Dining and Toilet TABLES
Cedar and Pine SAFES
OFFICE DESKS, FANCY TABLES
KITCHEN DRESSERS, TABLES, &c., &c.

ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, covered in silk tapestry
Massive WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in leather

3 Cases splendid OLEOGRAPHS, in Alhambra jet frames

Wove Wire MATTRESSES, single and double
CARPET SQUARES, HEARTH RUGS, &c.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash.
No reserve.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.
SADDLERY, FURNITURE, and PICTURES.
Head collars, girths, bridles, breastplates, stirrup irons, hunting crops, spurs, &c., also bedsteads, bookcases, chiffoniers, combination drawers, mirrors, cruets, carpets, tea sets, paintings, &c.

DUNN, WEST, and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Temple-court, Elizabeth-street, the above,

Absolutely without reserve.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock.
POT PLANTS, SHRUBS, and FERNS
FRUIT TREES and FLOWERING BULBS,
comprising Camellias, Fuchsias, Daphnes, Ferns, Roses, Pansies, Ardisias, Carnations, &c., Peach, Pear, Apple, Plum, Nectarines, Mulberry Trees, and a splendid lot of Flowering Bulbs; also 20 5-gallon Drums of English Liquid Manure.

DUNN, WEST, and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Temple-court, Elizabeth-st., The above, from a well-known Sydney nursery.
Absolutely without Reserve.

TO DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, AND OTHERS.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.

On the Premises, 85, PHILLIP-STREET, near HUNTER-STREET.

HYAM RAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, under distraint for rent, on the above premises,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
THIS DAY, Tuesday, 31st, at 11 a.m. Terms, cash.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.

On the Premises, 21, Hunter-street.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock sharp.

OFFICE FURNITURE, COPYING PRESS, OILCLOTH.

Also,
FIXTURES, FITTINGS, SHOW GLASSES, &c., &c., OF A FRUITERER.

WOODIN and ROBBERDS, Central Auction Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, are instructed to sell the above, on the Premises, 21, Hunter-street.

TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

TEA, SUGAR
OILMEN'S STORES
GROCERIES
ELEMES
PROVISIONS,
&c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 1, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

AT THE CITY MART,
at 11 o'clock.

On Account of Whom it May Concern.

2500 Boxes De Roubaix Jenar CANDLES,
each 25lb.

With all Faults (if any).

Bulk at our Stores.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars of survey report at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

AT THE CITY MART.

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

More or Less Damaged.

1000 Boxes GOUDA CANDLES,
each 25lb.

Ex ACHILLES, from London.

On account of whom it may concern.

By Order of Messrs. Jules Renard and Co.

Bulk at Rooms.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars of survey at sale.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2,
at 3 o'clock.

ON THE PREMISES,
DIXON-STREET, DARLING HARBOUR.

By order of the Directors
of the
N. S. W. FRESH FOOD and ICE COMPANY.

CLEARING SALE
of
OLD MACHINERY
BOILERS
PLANT
CHURNS, TANKS,
PUMPS
ICE MACHINERY
PIPES, &c.

Sold to make way for the New and Improved Machinery now being erected at their Works for the further development of their business.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars in Catalogues now issued.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 31st INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

To BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS, MARBLE MERCHANTS, ARCHITECTS, GASFITTERS, PLUMBERS, &c.

For POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

A SPLENDID SHIPMENT
of
MARBLE MANTELPIECES,
in
Sicilian, Rouge, St. Anne's, Hilas, and Jaune Dorée, arched and square
FINE CAST and GROUND FRONT GRATES
MARBLE and IRON FENDERS, MINTON TILES
2, 3, and 4 Light GASALIERS, BRACKETS, HALL LAMPS, &c.

Just Landed, ex Centurion.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A splendid shipment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

To FANCY GOODS AND GENERAL WAREHOUSEMEN, TOBACCONISTS, STATIONERS, DEALERS, &c.

AN ENTIRELY UNRESERVED SALE
of
NEW AND ORIGINAL GOODS
in
SUPER LEATHER PURSES, POCKET-BOOKS, CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES
SPECTACLES and FOLDERS, MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES
CLOTHES BRUSHES, CUT STEEL SCISSORS.
Also,
288-290. 4 Cases VERY CHOICE CUP and SAUCER BRACKETS
HAND-PAINTED PLACQUES in PLUSH, TEA SERVICES, &c., &c.

Just Landed ex Gladstone.

On Account and at Risk of Shippers.

8-14 7 CASES FANCY and MECHANICAL TOYS,
GAMES, &c.,
from the
LONDON STEREOSCOPIC COMPANY,

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 1st August, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A new and original shipment of the above choice goods, just landed ex Gladstone.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m.

FIJI
CORAL, CORAL, CORAL
in
BASKETS,
suitable
for
CONSERVATORIES AND HOUSE DECORATION.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the Rooms, 143, Pitt-street, next G. P. O., THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m.,
WITHOUT RESERVE.

THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from Mr. Ball.
THORNTONLEIGH, PENKEVIL-STREET,
BONDI.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

DRAWING,
DINING, and
BED ROOM FURNITURE.
MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE, by Webage
Glass, China, E.P. Ware
PRIZE POULTRY.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Ball to sell the above by auction, at his residence, Thorntonleigh, PENKEVIL-STREET, Bondi, THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

THURSDAY, 2nd AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock.

IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE SALE
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the residence of
P. C. SOLOMON, Esq.,
WESTBOURNE,
MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT,
OF THE WHOLE
of the
MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

Cut and Engraved GLASSWARE
Best quality ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
Valuable OLD CHINA
OIL PAINTINGS and WATER-COLOURS
MOST VALUABLE COLLECTION of
PERSONAL JEWELLERY
consisting of
DIAMOND RINGS and BROOCHES
STOP WATCH, HUNTING ditto, in best gold cases
VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS
Handsome Dining-room SUITE, in leather
Massive Walnut SIDEBOARD
LIBRARY BOOKCASES, P.G. Doors
Elegant DRAWING-ROOM SUITE
Magnificent SEMI-GRAND PIANOFORTE
PIER GLASSES
Best BRUSSELS CARPETS
Massive Bronze STATUETTES
Elegant AMERICAN ASH BEDROOM SUITES
STATE BEDSTEADS, BEDDING
LADY'S EASY CHAIRS
CORNICES and Massive CURTAINS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS.

WALTER BRADLEY has been favoured with instructions from P. C. SOLOMON, Esq., to sell The whole of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, at his residence, WESTBOURNE, MACLEAY-STREET, Potts Point, on THURSDAY, 2nd AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.

. CATALOGUES in PREPARATION.

Auctioneer's Offices, 81, Pitt-street.

TERMS, NET CASH.

FRIDAY, 3rd AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION
at 68, Botany-street, Moore Park,
of the whole of the
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

GLASSWARE, CHINA
E. P. WARE and CUTLERY
Elegant Dining and Drawing Room FURNITURE
BEDSTEADS and BEDDING of the best quality
Handsome WARDROBE, P. G. doors
BRUSSELS CARPETS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, &c.

WALTER BRADLEY (81, Pitt-street) has been favoured with instructions from the proprietor to sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE, on FRIDAY, 3rd AUGUST.

Terms, net cash.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
CLAVERTON, ST. MARK'S-ROAD, RANDWICK,
the residence of
Mrs. A. H. PRINCE,
of the whole of her
COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising—
CUT and ENGRAVED GLASSWARE
BEST QUALITY ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
STERLING SILVER
HAND-PAINTED CHINA
MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION of ORNAMENTS
DINING-ROOM and DRAWING-ROOM SUITES
LIBRARY FURNITURE
ELEGANT LADIES' EASY CHAIRS
BEST QUALITY BRUSSELS CARPETS
STATE BEDSTEADS, with best quality bedding
BEDROOM SUITES, from D. JONES and CO.
MAGNIFICENT OIL PAINTINGS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS.

Also,
A SPLENDID COLLECTION
of most valuable
TREE FERNS, PLANTS, &c., &c.

WALTER BRADLEY has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. A. H. PRINCE to sell the whole of her
MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
on
TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.

. CATALOGUES IN PREPARATION.

Auctioneer's Offices—81, Pitt-street.

BUILDING MATERIALS. BUILDING MATERIALS.
1000 sheets Galvanised Iron, all sizes; 5000 Bangor Slates; large quantity of Joists, Flooring, and Lining Boards, Rafters, Studding; 100,000 first-class Sand-stock Bricks; Building Stone, and Sundries, the whole of the contents of 20 houses.

G. P. BAINES will sell by auction, the above first-class lot of building materials, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, August 1, at 11 o'clock, at Clarence-street, opposite Barrack-street. Inspection invited. Terms, Cash. No reserve.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 1, at 2 o'clock, under Bill of Sale Order.
STOCK-IN-TRADE, Utensils, &c., of Tobacconist and Hairdresser; also quantity of Household FURNITURE and Effects.
On the Premises, New Canterbury-road, Petersham, next to W. B. Asprey and Co.'s Produce Stores.
For Positive Sale. Terms, cash.

T. H. NASH and CO., Auctioneers.

AT No. 5, ALBERT-TERRACE, CAMPBELL-STREET,
MILSON'S POINT.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
comprising
PARLOUR, BEDROOM, AND KITCHEN REQUISITES,
on the Premises,
THURSDAY Next, August 2,
at 11 o'clock.

G. T. CLARKE and CO. have received instructions from Mr. F. C. Sendall, who is leaving for Europe, to sell as above,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

G. T. CLARKE and CO., Auctioneers,
St. Leonards and 136, Pitt-street.

AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE CO. OF SYDNEY, LT.
Notice to Capitalists, Investors, and Speculators.
Sale by Public Auction.

THE ABOVE EXCHANGE CO., at their premises, 335, George-street, will sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 31st instant, the undermentioned stocks,
At 11 a.m. sharp, MINING STOCKS, as under:—
1000 shares Bredbo Gold and Silver Co., no liability, £1 shares, contributing
1000 shares Bredbo Gold and Silver Co., no liability, £1 shares, paid up
500 shares Taralba Coal Co., contributing, 15s paid
150 shares Sunny Corner S. M. Co.
60 shares Cobar Copper Mine Co.
1666 shares Palmerston Tin Co., paid up
1000 shares Port Darwin Tin Co.
2000 shares Corona S. M. Co., paid up
73 shares Oban Tin and Gem Co., £10 shares, no liability, in lots of tens, and fives, and three
500 shares Delaney's Dyke, in lines of 100
1 share Bushman's Syndicate
150 shares Highland Home Tin Co. (100 paid up, 50 contributing)
20 shares Ophir Gold-mining Co.
400 Daly River Copper Co., paid up.
At 3 p.m. sharp, INVESTMENT STOCKS, as under:—
200 shares Port Jackson S. N. Co., £5 shares, paid up to 60s
100 shares Anglo Australian L., F., and L. Co., paid to 20s each, ex div. (rapidly rising)
300 shares Excelsior L., I., and B. Co., paid to 40s each (sterling investment)
30 shares Anglo Australian L., F., and L. Co., paid to £5 each (one of the best lines going)
200 shares Mercantile B. L. and I. Co., paid to 7s (ex div)
10 shares N. S. W. Property Investment Co., paid to £11 each
500 shares Australasian Mining Exchange, paid to 2s, last div. equal to 50 per cent.
200 shares Phillip Stephan Photo. Litho. Co., 20 per cent. div. expected next month, paid up to 20s each, large prospective advantages
50 shares Sydney and Provincial L. and B. Co., with 7 months' div. accrued, fully paid to £5 each
710 shares Reform Land Co., paid to 14s each, with 7 months' div., the scrip in following parcels—100, 160, and 450
250 shares North Illawarra Coal, paid to 12s each, the value of these shares will be considerably increased upon the completion of the Wollongong railway, which passes through this property
600 shares City Mutual Fire Insurance Society, paid to 2s each
45 shares Town and Country, paid to 52s 6d, with 7 months' dividend, probably 10 per cent.
100 shares Land Co. of Australasia, paid to 40s each, with 7 months' dividend
350 shares Imperial Land B. and D. Co., paid to 15s
50 shares Young Wallsend Coal Co., paid to 10s each, last dividend 5 per cent.
3?0 Permanent Trustees Co.
20 National Land B. and I. Co., fully paid £5 each; good investment
70 shares Australian Trust M. and A. I. Co., paid up to £1 each
200 shares Australian Builder and C. News Publishing Co.; paid up to £1
400 shares Australian Banking Co., paid to 20s each.
S. SAMPER, Managing Director.

IMPORTANT SALE.
123, GREAT BARCOM-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
HOUSE, containing 6 rooms and all out-offices, balcony, garden, good yard, gas and water, handy to trams, &c.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

DUFF and COLLINS have been favoured with instructions to SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 109, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, AUGUST 6, at 11.30 sharp.

EASY TERMS.

To Gentlemen, Investors, Speculators, and Others.
DARLINGTON-ROAD, DARLINGTON (opposite Public School).
MONDAY, August 6, at 11.30 sharp.
THREE TWO-STORY RESIDENCES, well-built of brick on stone, slate roofs, and each containing 6 rooms and all out-offices, asbestos fires, folding doors, cornices, verandah tiled.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
Land, 50ft. x 85ft to a lane at the rear.
This property is connected with the sewers.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at THEIR ROOMS, 109, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, August 6, at 11.30.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock,
at the risk of former buyers.
Austrian Chairs, Crockery, Household Furniture, &c., &c.

JOEL HART will sell the above at his rooms, Oxford-square, Oxford-street.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

CITY LAND,
in a position that must
YEARLY INCREASE IN VALUE.

FOR SPECULATION OR IMMEDIATE USE.

GOULBURN-STREET,
in view of and close to
GEORGE-STREET.

THAT DOUBLE FRONTAGE and EXTENSIVE
AREA of CITY LAND,
having frontages of
53½ft. to GOULBURN-STREET,
and
154ft. to ROBERTSON LANE,
width at rear 36ft., depth on other line 120ft.

. This valuable freehold vacant Block is between George and Pitt streets, in Goulburn-street, which in a few years must become about the centre of our small but important city.
The attention of Speculators and Capitalists is specially directed to the sale of this business site.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH has received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock.
The above-described central city land, plan of which is on view at our Rooms.
TERMS AT SALE. (2260)

BUILDING ALLOTMENT.
PITT-STREET FRONTAGE.

LEASE FOR 21 YEARS.

By Order of the Proprietors.

LARGE BLOCK of LAND on the East Side of Pitt-street, adjoining Fennelly's well-known Horse Bazaar, having a frontage of 52ft. 11 1-10in. by a depth of about 181ft.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 10th AUGUST Next, at 11 o'clock.

The right to a lease for 21 years, from 1st September next, to the block of Pitt-street land particularised above, subject to a building covenant to be hereafter mentioned.

Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON are Solicitors for the Estate.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

TERMS, AT SALE. (2242)

BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

PITT-STREET FRONTAGE.

LEASE FOR 21 YEARS.

By order of the Trustees of the Will of the late George Hill, Esq.

LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, having a frontage of about 58 1-10ft. to the east side of PITT-STREET, commencing about 185ft. from the intersection of MARKET-STREET, and running back by a depth of about 160ft. to a lane 20ft. wide, which lane is approached by a right-of-way 10ft. wide from PITT-STREET.
THIS LARGE BLOCK will be offered at auction, in two lots, viz.:—
Lot 1, 30 FEET
Lot 2, 28 FEET 5 INCHES frontage respectively.

. The buyer of lot 1 (30ft. frontage) shall have the right to take lot 2 at the same rent per foot per annum as brought by lot 1, without further competition.
. The buyer of lot 2 (28 feet 5 inches) shall have the right to build over the 10ft. right-of-way at the southern end of the property, at a height of not less than 14ft. from the level of the roadway.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 10th AUGUST next, at 11 o'clock,
The right to a lease for 21 years, from 1st September next, to the two blocks of PITT-STREET LAND particularised above, subject to a building covenant of £4000 per block, to be expended within the next 2 years.
In case the two lots should be bought by the same purchaser, then the building covenant on the whole will be reduced to £7000.
Plans of the buildings intended to be erected are to be subject to the approval of the vendors' architect.
Messrs. Macnamara and Norton, Bond-street, are solicitors for the estate.

PLAN ON VIEW.

TERMS AT SALE. (2229)

BY ORDER OF THE OWNER.

FOR POSITIVE SALE,
the following properties, viz.:—

VICTORIA-STREET NORTH, DARLINGHURST,
and PALACE-STREET, PETERSHAM,
in two lots, viz.:—

VICTORIA-STREET NORTH, DARLINGHURST.
Allotment of Land, having a frontage of 16ft. 2in. to the east side of VICTORIA-STREET (a few yards north of the junction of EARL-STREET with VICTORIA-STREET), extending back a depth of 90ft. 9in. to EARL-STREET, to which it has also a frontage of 16ft. 2in. The buildings on it consist of cottage and sheds, forming No. 188, VICTORIA-STREET NORTH, occupied by Mr. Thomas Egan.
PALACE-STREET, PETERSHAM.
Corner Block of Land on the west side of PALACE-STREET, at its intersection with NORWOOD-STREET, having a frontage of 33ft. 7in. to the former, by a depth of about 100ft. to the latter street, extending to a lane 12ft. wide. On it is erected a VILLA RESIDENCE named JERULA, containing 8 rooms, bathroom, outoffices, &c., gas and water laid on. It is at present occupied by Mr. Thomas Pring, as a yearly tenant at the rate of £100 per annum.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, the 13th AUGUST, 1888, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described blocks of freehold property.

Plan on view at the Rooms.
Terms at Sale. 2266

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ENMORE-ROAD, NEWTOWN.

That VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of PREMISES, ENMORE-ROAD and STATION-STREET, full particulars of which will appear in a future advertisement.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, August 17, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner business property at Newtown.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON, Margaret-street, are Solicitors of the Mortgagee.

LAND SALE.

By Order of the Mortgagees.

WOODIN and ROBBERDS have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, near King-street, on THURSDAY, 2nd AUGUST, 1888, at 11.30 a.m.

BOTANY. A block of land, having 110ft. frontage to Bay-street by a depth of 83ft., and on which are erected two four-roomed cottages of weatherboard, with iron roofs. Torrens' title.

CONCORD. A block of land, having a frontage of 33ft. to Major's Bay-road by a depth of 110ft., extending to a lane at the rear. Erected upon this property are two substantially-built stone dwelling houses, at present let at 8s per week each. Good freehold title.

CITY. Block of land, having 30ft. frontage to Lower Campbell-street by a depth of 80ft. along Smither's-lane. Erected upon this property are a weatherboard house and blacksmith's shop. Freehold title.

MARRICKVILLE. A block of land, situated within three minutes of Marrickville railway station, being lot 70 of the Transvaal Estate, having 30ft. frontage to Cardogan-street by a depth of 109ft., extending to a lane at rear. Torrens' title.

REDMYRE. A corner block of good building land, being part of the subdivision of James Wilshire's Crown grant, having 101ft. frontage to DEAN-STREET by a depth of 130ft. 5in. along BROOKLYN-STREET. Torrens' title.
N.B.—The Druitt Town tram line is expected to be taken along Dean-street.

SOUTH HEAD. Part of the subdivision of M. Burke's Crown grant, being allotments Nos. 66 and 68, having a frontage of 40ft. to Palmer-street by a depth of 115ft. 6in.
This land is well sheltered from bleak winds, but has a beautiful outlook which cannot be built out.

The auctioneers wish to intimate to intending purchasers that they will sell the above either for cash or, except the Concord property, will accept a very small deposit, balance on very advantageous terms.

GRAND SPECULATION.

To Capitalists, Hotel Proprietors, Syndicates, and Others.

A RAPID FORTUNE ASSURED.

The Most Valuable
CORNER BLOCK
in the
CITY OF BATHURST.

FOR AUCTION SALE.

Under the provisions of the Settled Estates Act.

30 YEARS' LEASE,
with
MODERATE BUILDING COVENANT.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST, 1888,
at 2.30 p.m.

CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY have received instructions from the TRUSTEES of the will of the late THOMAS KITE to sell by auction, at their ROOMS, BATHURST,
As above,
66ft. to WILLIAM-STREET
200ft. to HOWICK-STREET.

This Valuable and Choice Block
is situated immediately opposite the School of Arts,
and in the
VERY HEART OF THE CITY.

The site is eminently adapted for the erection of a large Family and Commercial Hotel and Suite of Offices or other Business Emporium. In the hands of an enterprising man or syndicate an easy, certain, and rapid fortune must be acquired.

For further particulars apply
CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY.

In the Metropolitan and Hunter District Court,
holden at Sydney.
No. of Plaint, 997 of 1888.
No. of Warrant, 574 of 1888.
Between BARTHOLOMEW CORRIGAN and WILLIAM RIEDY, Plaintiffs,
and
JAMES NEILL, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the judgment and execution obtained by the plaintiffs in this cause be previously satisfied, the Registrar of this Court will sell by public auction, on SATURDAY, the eighteenth day of August, 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Courthouse, Macquarie-street, Sydney.
All the right, title, and interest (if any) of the abovenamed defendant of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land situate in the colony of New South Wales, at Pyrmont, near Sydney, being part of lot 37, commencing in Bowman-street, at a point 18 feet easterly from the north-east boundary line of the Ultimo Estate, and bounded on the south-west by an allotment leased to Edward Travers, 72 feet; on the north-west by a reserved road 15 feet wide, 20 feet; on the north-east by other part of lot 37, 72 feet; and on the south-east by Bowman-street, 20 feet to the commencing point, for the residue of a term of 88 years from the 30th June, 1864, as demised by an indenture of lease dated 30th June, 1864, by Thomas Chowne to John M'Colgan (afterwards by divers acts, assurances, &c., became vested in the abovenamed defendant). Also,
All that piece or parcel of land adjoining the land above described, being part of lot 37, commencing in Bowman street at a point 38 feet easterly from the north-east boundary line of the Ultimo Estate, and bounded on the south-west by an allotment leased to John M'Colgan, 72 feet; on the north-west by a reserved road 15 feet wide, 10 feet; on the north-east by other part of lot 37, 72 feet; and on the south-east by Bowman-street, 10 feet to the commencing point; for the residue of a term of 99 years from 1st July, 1853, less the last three days thereof, as demised by an indenture dated the 17th May, 1887, by James Milson and Edward Knox to Charles Read and Edward Thomas Newell (afterwards by divers acts, assurances, &c., became vested in the abovenamed defendant).
Subject to a mortgage dated 30th April, 1888, to the Federal Building Society, for securing the sum of £150 and interest.
Dated this 13th day of July, A.D. 1888.
J. A. LUCAS,
Registrar of the above Court.
JOHN M'LAUGHLIN, Attorney for the Plaintiffs, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
28th July, 1888.

HANDCOCK v. THOMPSON, WILLIAM.

ON MONDAY, the third day of September, 1888, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of WILLIAM THOMPSON, the Defendant herein, of, in, and to—All that the Equity of Redemption and all other the right, title, and interest (if any) of him, the said William Thompson, of, in and to all that piece or parcel of land being lots 7, 8, and 9, of section 8 of the subdivision of the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portion of an original grant of 1000 acres to JOHN THOMAS CAMPBELL, situate in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 36½ perches, more or less, commencing at a point on the south-eastern corner of lot 6 bearing 178 degrees 51 minutes for 500 links from the south-eastern corner of lot 3 of section 7, and bounded thence on the north by the southern boundary of lot 6, section 8, being a line bearing 88 degrees 51 minutes for 663.6 links, thence on the east by portion of the western boundary of Campbell Hill-road, being a line bearing 179 degrees 48 minutes and 20 seconds for 1500.2 links, thence on the south by the northern boundary of lot 10, section 8, being a line bearing 268 degrees 51 minutes for 638·8 links, and thence on the west by the eastern boundaries of lots 7, 6, and 5 of section 7, being a line bearing 358 degrees 51 minutes for 1500 links, to the point of commencement.
The above-described lots are subject to a mortgage dated 5th December, 1887, to Abraham Friedman to secure the sum of £100, and interest at the rate of £2 1s 8d per month.

Also, of, in, and to all those pieces or parcels of land being parts of a subdivision known as the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portion of an original grant of 1000 acres to John Thomas Campbell, situate in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing respectively by admeasurement the acres, roods, and perches specified underneath, and more particularly delineated and described in the plan drawn on this deed, and thereon edged "red":—

	a.	r.	p.
Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8 of section 7 contain	24	0	0
Lots 12 and part 13 of section 8 contain	10	3	0
Lots 7, 8, 9, and 10 of section 6 contain	36	0	0
Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6 of section 8 contain	15	0	0
Lots 11 and 12 of section 7 contain...	11	0	0
Lot 10 of section 8 contains	3	1	0
Lot 5 of section 6 contains	9	0	0
	107	0	0

Subject to an equitable mortgage to John Edward Handcock, dated 20th February, 1888, and registered the 16th April, 1888, No. 83, Book 386, to secure three promissory-notes for £34 10s, £5 6s 4d, and £42 8s, and due respectively 16th April, 1888, 23rd May, 1888, and 16th June, 1888.
CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.
VILLENEUVE-SMITH AND DAWES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 52, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
28th July, 1888.

HANDCOCK v. THOMPSON, WILLIAM.

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All the right, title, and interest of WILLIAM THOMPSON, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all those pieces or parcels of land, being parts of a subdivision known as the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portions of an original grant of one thousand acres to JOHN THOMAS CAMPBELL, situated in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing the acres, roods, and perches specified underneath, and more particularly delineated and described in the plan drawn on this deed, and thereon edged "red":—

	a.	r.	p.
Lots 1, 2, and 3, of section 3, contain	15	2	16
Lots 4 and 5, of section 3, contain...	9	2	16
Lot 6, of section 3, contains...	9	0	8
Lot 8, of section 3, contains	10	0	28
Lot 1, of section 4, contains	5	1	20
Lots 4 and 5, of section 4, contain	5	0	32
Lots 6 and 7, of section 4, contain...	18	0	0
Total	76	0	4

CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.
VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 52, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

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Funerals

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN SCALLY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Margaret, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING; to move from his residence, No. 196, Clarence-street South, at 10.15 a.m., to the Catholic Cemetery, Waverley. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. PHILLIP MALONE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SISTER, the late Mrs. Margaret Scally, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING; to move from her late residence, No. 196, Clarence-street, at 10.15 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Waverley. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD LEVEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved infant SON, George Collins; to move from their residence, Bellevue House, 601, Darling-street, Balmain West, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Mortuary, and thence to Necropolis. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ARCHIBALD M'KELLAR are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Caroline; to move from his residence, Yurong-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 118, Oxford-street, near Crown-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. SAMUEL GREEN are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SISTER, Mrs. M'Kellar; to move from her late residence, Yurong-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 765, George-street, opposite Christ Church; and 118, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. LUCY PRENDERGAST are invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SISTER, Mrs. M'Kellar; to move from her late residence, Yurong-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 118, Oxford-street, and 765, George-street.

THE FRIENDS of WILLIAM and ALICE LYNE are kindly solicited to attend the Funeral of their infant DAUGHTER, Florence May; to move from their residence, No. 12, M'Credie-street, Pyrmont, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood. R. B. CROPLEY and CO., Undertakers, Harris-street, one door from George-st.

THE FRIENDS of the late THOMAS BYRNE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 149, Goulburn-street, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at quarter past 2 o'clock, for the R. C. Cemetery, Waverley. W. HYDE, Undertaker, 90½, Hunter-street.

THE FRIENDS of Captain M. BYRNES are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved BROTHER, Thomas Byrnes; to move from his late residence, 149, Goulburn-street, at 2.30 p.m. THIS DAY, for the Waverley Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of Captain W. SUMERBELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Honora, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON; to move from his residence, 81, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, at 2.30, to the Waverley Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of JAMES W. BOWYER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his parents' residence, 441, Riley-street, Surry Hills, at 2.30 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of GEORGE BOWYER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, James W. Bowyer; to move from his late residence, 441, Riley-street, corner Cooper-street, Surry Hills, at 2.30 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of JOHN PULLIN, of Castlereagh and Goulburn streets, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late NEPHEW, James W. Bowyer; to move from his parents' residence, 441, Riley-street, at 2.30 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. FRANK JOHNSTON, of Brown's Quarry, Paddington, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of his mother, Albert-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3, for Waverley. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. ANDREW and WILLIAM JOHNSTON are respectfully invited to the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER Frank; to move from Albert-street, Paddington, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3, for Waverley. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of GEORGE ROUSE, of Beaudesert, Mudgee, are notified that his remains will be interred at the burial ground at Richmond, on WEDNESDAY, August 1, 1888, moving from the Richmond railway station at 11.15 a.m., upon arrival of the 9 a.m. train from Sydney.

THE FUNERAL of the late Mr. PETER PASSMORE will move from his residence, 531, Kent-street S., on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2, for Waverley Cemetery. WALTER STEWART.

SYDNEY MARK LODGE, No. 25, E.C.—Members of the above and sister Lodges are informed that the Funeral of our late BROTHER, Peter Passmore, P.O., will move from his residence, 531, Kent-street, at 2 p.m., on WEDNESDAY, August 1, for Waverley Cemetery.
A. J. BURBIDGE, Secretary.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOS. WHITE are kindly solicited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SON, Alfred George; to move from his residence, off Young-street, near Booth-street, Annandale, TO-MORROW (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for the Balmain Cemetery. R. B. CROPLEY and CO., Undertakers, Harris-street.

Meetings

CITY OF SYDNEY IMPROVEMENT BOARD.
A MEETING of the BOARD will be held THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 2.30 p.m.
BUSINESS:
Adjourned hearing of Reference No. 183 as to the alleged ruinous and dangerous condition of a wall in connection with premises situated in George-street, and known as Nos. 340 and 342; also buildings in rear of No. 342.
Owners or occupiers interested desiring to be present or to submit any evidence are invited to attend.
FREDERIC C. ROOKE, Registrar and Board Officer.
Boardrooms, No. 35, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, 30th July, 1888.

Metropolitan Transit Commissioners' Office, 60, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, July 30, 1888.
THE usual Weekly MEETING of the Metropolitan Transit Commissioners will be held at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY NEXT, August 1st.
W. J. MERRIMAN, Registrar.

N. S. W. BRANCH OF THE ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA.
A MEETING of the Members will be held on WEDNESDAY next, the 1st August, at their Rooms, 169, Phillip-street, at 8 p.m., when a Paper will be read by the New Guinea Explorer, Mr. THEODORE F. BEVAN, F.R.G.S., entitled "ADDITIONAL EXPLORATIONS IN THE GREAT DELTA REGION OF THE PAPUAN GULF."
Sir Edward Strickland, K.C.B., F.R.G.S., &c., will take the chair at 8 p.m. sharp, and will be supported by the Hon. Dr. William M'Gregor, C.M.G., who is now en route to assume his appointment as Governor of New Guinea.
Owing to the shortness of notice, members' visiting cards will be considered as equivalent to tickets of admission for selves and friends.
Ladies specially invited.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.
In answer to a numerously-signed requisition, I hereby convene a Public MEETING of the residents of Summer Hill, to be held in the Carlton Assembly Hall, corner of Lackey-street and Carlton-crescent, on TUESDAY EVENING next, 31st instant, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of urging upon the Government the necessity which exists for a SUBWAY between the railway station and the viaduct.
THOMAS DEAN, Mayor.
Council-chambers, Ashfield, 27th July, 1888.

AUSTRALIAN NATIVES' ASSOCIATION.—A Public MEETING of No. 1 Branch at the Economic Association Rooms, corner of Pitt and Park sts., This Evening, at 8. All wishing to join are invited to attend. O. L. Williams, Sec.

ANTI-CHINESE LEAGUE, Newtown branch.—TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION TO-NIGHT; to start from the Town Hall Hotel at half-past 7 o'clock, after which a Public MEETING will be held at half-past 8. Band to meet at half-past 7.
G. F. GARTON, JAMES MITCHEL, Joint Secs.

REDFERN PROTECTION UNION.—Monthly MEETING of Members TO-NIGHT, Town Hall, Redfern.

RE FRANCIS TAIT, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING of the CREDITORS in the above Estate will be held at OUR Offices on THURSDAY, the 2nd AUGUST NEXT, at 2.30 p.m., to receive the Accountant's report.
WANT, JOHNSON, and CO., Solicitors to the Estate.
Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney.

A MEETING of the creditors of WHITEFORD BROTHERS, Bakers, Newtown, will be held at the office of Geo. Wallace, solicitor, Victoria Arcade, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, Tuesday, 31st July, at 3 o'clock p.m.

MASONIC.—LODGE VICTORIA, No. 33, N. S. W. C.—Regular Monthly MEETING TO-NIGHT, 7.30, New Masonic Hall, Castlereagh-street.
J. W. HOLLIMAN, Honorary Secretary.

TWELFTH JULY CELEBRATION.—Final Committee MEETING TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 7.30.
A. J. S. GILCHRIST, J. W. ROBSON, Hon. Secs.

UNIVERSITY ATHLETIC CLUB.—A MEETING will be held at the Oxford Hotel, on FRIDAY, August 3, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of reviving the club. All University men interested in athletics are particularly requested to attend.
CECIL KING, CECIL PURSER, Joint Hon. Secs.

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY UNION.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 3.
DEBATE:
"That it is desirable that a Land Tax should be imposed in New South Wales."
A. J. KELYNACK, Hon. Sec.

SYDNEY FREEHOLD LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, THIS AFTERNOON, July 31st instant, at 3 o'clock.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Balance-sheet and Report for the past half-year.
To Elect one Director to fill the extraordinary vacancy caused by the death of the late Sir Robert Wisdom; and to transact any other Business that may be brought before the Meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.
N.B.—The Transfer Books will be closed from Tuesday, July 24th instant, until Tuesday 31st instant, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board,
WILLIAM SHENSTONE, Manager.

ADELINE GOLD-MINING COMPANY, FAIRFIELD, Limited.—An Extraordinary General MEETING will be held at 40, Sydney Arcade, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to confirm the resolution authorising the issue of 16,000 preferential shares; immediately after which the Half-yearly General Meeting will be held, to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet. By order of the Board.
ARTHUR J. DAVIS, Secretary.

THE BULGA GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Adjourned General MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office, 28, York-street, THIS DAY, 31st July, 1888, at 3 o'clock p.m.
By order.
ALEX. MELDRUM, Secretary.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.
Offices: 73, Elizabeth-street.
SUBSCRIPTION MEETING.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Chairman: P. R. Larkin, Esq.
Deputy Chairman: R. Butcher, Esq., J.P.
Michael Tierney, Esq. | Wm. Hughes, Esq., J.P.
E. F. Flanagan, Esq. | Richard M'Cauley, Esq.
TO PERSONS ABOUT TO BORROW.
This society is prepared to advance from two-thirds to three-fourths, according to the value of the security, on mortgage of freehold or long leasehold property, repayable by equal monthly instalments in three, five, seven, ten, twelve, or fifteen years, at the option of the borrower.
Borrowers are reminded that the monthly subscription falls due WEDNESDAY, August 1, 1888, between the hours of 10 and 4, and 7 and 8.30 in the evening.
TO INVESTORS.—Deposits received in any sums. The current rates allowed.
E. J. RUBIE, Manager.

SYDNEY STOCK EXCHANGE.—There will be no Meeting of members after the 31st instant until MONDAY, the 6th proximo.
LEWIS P. BAIN, Hon. Secretary.

BACK CREEK SILVER AND GOLD MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Adjourned First General MEETING of Shareholders will be held on MONDAY, August 6th, at 4 p.m., at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.
By order of the Board.
G. S. BUZACOTT, Manager.

TORRINGTON TIN-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the thirteenth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2 p.m. on TUESDAY, August 21st next, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30th last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, July 24, 1888.

NEW MOUNT HOPE COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Half Yearly General MEETING will be held at the Offices, 29, O'Connell-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 31st July, 1888, at noon, to receive the Directors' Report and Balance Sheet for the past half-year, and to transact any other ordinary business that may be brought forward.
By order of the Board.
JOHN J. WESTON, Manager.
Sydney, July 6, 1888.

BULLI COAL-MINING COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Adjourned Fifty-third Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors of the Bulli Coal-mining Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 17, Bridge-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of August, 1888, at 3 p.m. precisely, to receive the Report of the Scrutineer respecting the election of two Auditors.
By order of the Board.
GEO. HAMILTON, Manager.
Offices, 17, Bridge-street, Sydney, July 28, 1888.

GREAT COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-fifth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on TUESDAY, August 21st next, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30 last; to Elect two Directors in lieu of Russell Barton, Esq., and Captain John Broomfield, and two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. J. C. Taylor and J. F. Paige, all of whom retire, but are eligible for re-election, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, July 24, 1888.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.—The NEW MASONIC HALL, Castlereagh-street, can be engaged for the above purpose.
For terms, apply to the Manager, New Masonic Hall.

Religious Announcements

THE Rev. GEORGE MULLER, of Bristol, preaches TO-NIGHT in the Burton-street Tabernacle, Woolloomooloo. Service commences at half-past 7 promptly.

ASSOCIATION OF LAY HELPERS.—Diocese of Sydney.—The Rev. GEORGE F. MACARTHUR will LECTURE THIS EVENING, 8 o'clock, at St. James's Parish Hall, Phillip-st., on "The Church's Mission Against the Powers of Darkness."
E. R. DEAS-THOMSON, W. H. ROWSELL, Hon. Secs.

DIVINE HEALING ASSOCIATION.—MEETING This Evening, Temperance Hall, Pitt-st., 7.30. All welcome.

Professions, Trades, &c.

A BUSINESS Man as PARTNER with £55, honest, energetic. Williams and Co., Arcade, 545, George-street.

A COMPETENT Shirt HAND wanted, good wages. 138, Brougham-street, off William-street.

A DRAUGHTSMAN wanted. 16, Mercantile-chambers, corner Park and Castlereagh streets.

ADVERTISEMENT CANVASSER wanted for Australian Brewers' Journal; liberal commission. 91, Pitt-st.

A MILLWRIGHT wanted. Bennett and Speechley, engineers, 76, Sussex-street.

ASSISTANTS wanted, all departments, for Mark Foy's Fair. Apply 9 o'clock, Mark Foy's, Oxford-street.

A STYLISH and competent DRESSMAKER required, good fit. Miss Wilson, Lawson, B. Mountains; fare paid.

A TRUSTWORTHY YOUTH wanted, accustomed to grocery. A. H. Pearce, Holborow-street, Ashfield.

A SMART, industrious, and respectable Youth wanted, as CLERK. Apply in own handwriting, stating age, salary expected, &c., to Clerk, Box 990, G. P. O.

A GENTLEMAN, with the command of £5000, and possessing a sound mercantile training and habits, is open to take an active managing interest in some well-established business; principals only. H. H. H., Herald Office.

ARTICLED PUPIL.—Young lady required in a small High-class school. A comfortable home, accomplishments, and every educational advantage in return for assistance in English tuition. Miss Hastings, Broughton Creek.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Wanted, Governess for School, Eng. and mus., prepare pupils for matriculation; N. Governess, Parramatta, good needlewoman, £30; L. Helps, town and suburbs.

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A COMPETENT DRAPER wanted as MANAGER of our SILK DEPARTMENT.
HORDERN BROTHERS, 203, Pitt-street.

BODYMAKERS, Wheelmakers, and Lads for painting. Henry Goodwin, George-street South.

BOOKKEEPING Class TO-NIGHT. Metropolitan Business Academy, 15, Hunter-street, near George-street.

BOOT DEPARTMENT.—Wanted, 4 thoroughly exp. SALESWOMEN for Mark Foy's Great Fair, Oxford-street.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, a Machinist, indoor or out; constant. Apply Auburn Boot Factory.

BOOT TRADE — Wanted, a Junior CLICKER. W. W. Dorman and Co., Engine-street, Haymarket.

BOOT-UPPER TRADE.—Wanted, a good MACHINIST. Apply 7, Terminus-street, Railway Bridge.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Boot MACHINISTS, outdoor. Factory, 250, Pitt-street, Sydney.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, good General WORKMAN. J. Keage, 87, Castlereagh-street, Redfern.

BRICKLAYER'S IMPROVER wanted. Apply back of Highbury Barn Hotel, Arncliffe.

CANVASSING.—Practical Canvasser, or Person with £20 to invest, splendid opportunity. H. Herald Office.

CARPENTER wanted. Apply Globe Foundry, M'Kee-street, Ultimo.

CARPENTER wanted. Mr. Young, back of Public School, Nicholson-street, Balmain.

CARPENTERS wanted. Apply Train and Co., 3, Canada-buildings, Queen's-place, near Circular Quay.

CARPENTERS.—A good IMPROVER wanted. F. Rossiter, Smith-street, Summer Hill, near Prospect-road.

CLERK AND BOOKKEEPER.
Wanted, a young Man from 25 to 30, as Corresponding CLERK and BOOKKEEPER in a country auctioneer's office; he must be a good double entry bookkeeper, possessed of good general knowledge of business, and of good address.
Application by letter, giving testimonials for ability, and stating salary (comfortable quarters provided) to A. B. C., care of Augustus Morris, Esq., official assignee, Sydney. Open one week only.

DRAPERS.—IMPROVER or Junior wanted, half holiday. G. Slater, Enmore-road, Newtown.

DRAPERS.—Wanted, a smart JUNIOR. James Johnson and Co., 243 and 245, George-street.

DRAPERY.—Wanted, smart young LADIES for Grace Brothers' Sale. Broadway, Glebe.

DRESSMAKER required, competent for skirts and bodies. Mrs. Boyd, 318, Upper Broughton-st., Darlinghurst.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, Skirt HANDS; also Body HANDS. Mrs. Lohiff, 135, William-street.

DRESSMAKERS.—Good Machinists, Apprentices, and Improvers wanted. Ellis and Co., 239, Castlereagh-street.

DRESSMAKERS.—Experienced Bodice HANDS wanted; also Apprentices. Mrs. Williamson, 363, George-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, good Body HANDS. Hunter, Dressmaking Association, Vic.-ch., Victoria Arcade.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a good Skirt HAND. Apply 415, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, good Skirt HANDS. Apply 382, Crown-street.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, MACHINIST (Singer's improved). Miss Bradley, 37, King-street, Newtown.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a thoroughly competent person to take charge workroom. Herald Agency, Wav'ly.

DULY qualified Medical REFEREE wanted, to accompany a very successful Travelling Agent. Nat. Mut. Life Assoc., 85, Pitt-street.

ENLARGEMENTS wanted for the trade. Apply between 6 and 7, 8, Womerah-avenue, off Bayswater-road.

FURNITURE SALESMAN.—Wanted, a thorough competent SALESMAN, well up in all branches of the [illegible], Apply by letter, with qualifications, to Alpha, Post [illegible] Park-street, City.

GENTLEMANLY Canvasser wanted, to represent paying line, big wages being made. Apply 21, [illegible]

GROCERY.—Wanted, young MAN used to [illegible] ness, and able to assist at the books, references in [illegible] Apply by letter in own handwriting, to W. W., [illegible] Ashfield.

GENTLEMEN'S Hosier and Glover.—Wanted, an ASSISTANT. State refs. and salary, Box 640, G. P. O.

GOVERNESSES' and Tutors' Inst., 55, Hunter-st.—Tutor, 50 gns., 2 to-day; English, music, £52; music.

HAIRDRESSER wanted, references required. Apply Jack Wall, Mount-street, St. Leonards.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAIRCUTTER and SHAVER. Jasper Brady, Mount-street, North Shore.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAND. Apply 72, Oxford-street.

INVOICE CLERK wanted, one accustomed to the hardware trade preferred. Apply Namoi, Herald Office.

IRONMOULDER.—Wanted, a first-class Man as working FOREMAN, one who has had experience of moulding in all its branches preferred; none but first-class men need apply. Address, with copies of testimonials, and stating salary required, to Founder, Herald Office. Open for a fortnight.

JEWELLER.—Wanted, first-class WORKMAN. State ability, with reference, and wages required, E. Durant, Courier-passage, Edward-street, Brisbane.

LAD, experienced at case wanted. Jarrett and Co., printers, 6, Clarence-street.

LEGAL.—Office BOY wanted. Apply Bradley and Son, solicitors, 58, Margaret-street.

LITHO. PRINTER wanted, good hand. Booth, Colley, and Co., 155, York-street.

LEGAL.—Experienced Managing Conveyancing CLERK required, for Melbourne firm. Reply, stating salary and references, to Lex, Herald Office.

LEGAL.—Partnership.—Sydney Solicitor is open to offer for partnership or purchase of an established Practice; would suit solicitor desirous of being relieved from active work, or retiring from practice. Address Legalis, Herald Office.

MASONIC Hall Skating Rink, Parramatta.—Wanted, first-class Instructor. Apply immediately, Jno. Jas. Miller.

MECHANIC wanted, used to bicycle repairing. Apply Sydney Cycle Depot, 61, Druitt-street.

MEDICAL.—City Practice in splendid locality, lease and furniture for sale. Medico, Box 363, G. P. O., Sydney.

MEDICAL.
Duly-qualified Medical MAN required, to travel with first-class agent; salary and fees. Aust. Widows' Fund, 263, Geo.-st.

PAINTER.—Wanted, good Brush Hand. H. Behn, 397, Pitt-street.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, a good IMPROVER. Apply 3 new houses, Bank-street, Chippendale, 8 o'clock.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, 2 IMPROVERS. Peirson Bros., Underwood-street, Paddington.

PAINTERS.—A Distemper HAND wanted. Christ Church, George-street, 8 a.m.

PAPERHANGER wanted. F. Hawkins, painter, 9, Church-street, Newtown, 8 a.m.

PARTNER, £50, city business, good profits, fortune to smart man. Williams and Co., Central Arcade, 545, George-st.

PARTNER wanted, capital £300 to £1000; really genuine. Apply Raymond House, Marian-street, Enmore.

PARTNER wanted in well-established city auction business, splendid position. Mercantile, Box 673, G. P. O.

PARTNER wanted in established city business, £4 weekly guaranteed. Loder and Co., 147, Elizabeth-street.

PASTRYCOOK.—Wanted, a respectable single MAN. London Pie House, 757, George-street.

PLUMBER, one that can hang bells, wanted, and Improver; only good hands. J. Fenton, Glenmore-rd., Pad'ton.

PAPER-RULERS.—Wanted, good MAN for Brisbane. Apply
F. T. WIMBLE and CO., 87, Clarence-street.

PARTNER required with £100, suit lady or gentleman, for a really good paying concern; all applicants must have testimonials. Apply No. 1, Foveaux-street, near Elizabeth-street, Belmore Park, from 10 a.m.

STYLISH DRSSSMAKER wanted for few days. Mercantile Bank, Redfern.

SMART MAN wanted to canvass city and suburbs for Industrial Life Assurance. Apply to-day, between 9 and 10 a.m., to F. W. Collins, 25, Lyndhurst-street, Glebe.

TAILORS.—A first-class CUTTER required. J. Graham, 343, George-street.

TAILORS.—Coat HANDS required (weekly). J. Graham, 343, George-street.

TAILORESSES.—Several good HANDS wanted, to work in or out, 30, Oxford-street, City.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Slop Vest Hands. Jas. B. Finlayson, 722, George-street, Haymarket.

TAILORS' PRESSERS.—Wanted, good steady MAN. Foreman London and American Company's Workrooms.

TEETH Painlessly Extracted under Nitrous Oxide Gas daily. Marshall Bros., dentists, 133, Elizabeth-street.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, a smart Junior HAND for the country. Apply 864 Box, G. P. O.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, smart Junior, for country. Apply 10 o'clock, Henry Bull and Co., 104, Pitt-street.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Good Improver wants Situation; open week. Luciano, Hairdressing Saloon, 20, Park-st.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, young MAN, permanent. Apply at once, 87, Palmer-street.

TO PASTRYCOOKS.—An Improver wanted. Apply 164, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills.

TO TAILORS.—Good Coat HANDS wanted. George Hill, Parramatta.

TO TAILORS.—Good Coat Hand wanted, permanency, £3 per week. Summerfield and Co.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good PRESSER. Bijou Tailoring Establishment, 22½, Park-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—First-class Coat Hand wanted, weekly wages, permanency. Summerfield and Co.

TO Woollen Drapers.—Wanted, first-class SALESMAN and STOCKKEEPER. Hagon Bros., 150, Pitt-street.

TO COMPOSITORS.—A MEETING of Compositors who are at present out of employment will be held at the Rooms of the N. S. W. T. A., Victoria Arcade, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Business: Sunday Times Paragraph.
W. G. HIGGS, Sec. N. S. W. T. A.
July 30, 1888.

UPHOLSTERER.—Wanted, Improver, knowledge of polishing pref. E. W. Timewell, New Canterbury-rd., Pt'shm.

UPHOLSTERER.—Good HAND, constant work to steady man. 144, Oxford-street.

WANTED, young Man as Bookkeeper, must understand double entry. X. Y. Z., Gordon and Gotch, Geo.-st.

WANTED, Junior CLERK, salary £52 per year, immediate engagement, open this day only. Box 511, G.P.O.

WANTED, a young LADY, one used to Fruit and Confectionery Business. 1, Victoria arcade, C'reagh-st.

WANTED, good reliable Shirt and Collar MAKER. Apply Harry Steggs, 116, Pitt-street, op. G. P. O.

WANTED, WHEELER, constant. Coach Works, near Native Rose Hotel, Parramatta-road, Petersham.

WANTED, good French POLISHER. Apply on job, Federal Bank, new building, Haymarket.

WANTED, by new arrival, Dressmaking at ladies' own residences, good fit guaranteed. H. M., P. O., Sum. Hill.

WANTED, experienced business Lady, as CANVASSER. R. C. Boake, Victoria Arcade.

WANTED, good IMPROVER to carpentering. Apply H. Jackson's job, Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, good Vest HANDS, to work indoors. Apply Jeffreys and Goldings, 113, Clarence-street, city.

WANTED, a first-class STONE-CUTTER. Apply on job, Blue's Point-rd., North Shore, near Fig Tree Hotel.

WANTED, 4 BRUSH HANDS. Apply this morning, Mr. Dean, Roslyn House, Liverpool-road, Croydon.

WANTED, first-class PAPERHANGER, 11 sharp. H. Aims, 2, Shepherd-street, off Parramatta-street.

WANTED, a good PAINTER, this day, Tuesday. Apply Adia Cottage, Emily-street, Marrickville.

WANTED, offer for small Job Plaster Work. 280, Palmer-street; 12, sharp.

WANTED, smart Salesman for the furniture trade, must thoroughly understand bus., refs. req. 214, Pitt-st.

WANTED, smart intelligent LAD, for the furniture trade. 214, Pitt-street.

WANTED, handy MAN, set bricks in yard. Conlon and Riedy, Cleveland and Baptist streets, Redfern.

WANTED, PLUMBER, also Improver and Boy. Jarvis, 211, New South Head-road, Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED, an IMPROVER, to bodymaking. F. W. Little, 173, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, IMPROVER to the Bricklaying. Oeta, Cleveland and Riley streets.

WANTED, a good CARPENTER and JOINER. Apply Heness, Wilson-st., Pines Estate, Newtown.

WANTED, smart LAD; one used to small grocery shop. Apply 64, Rose-street, Darlington.

WANTED, a first-class PASTRYCOOK. Apply early. 598, George-street.

WANTED, a good CARPENTER, at Randwick. Charles H. Jones. 137, George-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a good FITTER, accustomed to stove and cook. apparatus work. J. Ward, 15, Marshall-st., Surry H.

WANTED, 1 BRICKLAYER and 2 IMPROVERS and LABOURER. Edwards-street, Redfern.

WANTED, Smith's HELPER and BOY for smith's shop. Apply early 371, Crown-st., near Foveaux-street.

WANTED, a good CARPENTER and JOINER. S. H. Cabban, tram terminus, Marrickville.

WANTED, a TINSMITH. Apply Peter O'Hara, George-street, Windsor.

WANTED, a BRICKLAYER. Apply Mr. Ives, Clyde-street, Granville.

WANTED, strong LAD for butchering business; reference. 141, Elizabeth-street, Redfern.

WANTED, good Body and Skirt HAND; also, an Improver. Mrs. Frankish, 127, Elizabeth-st., Redfern.

WANTED, a good SCOURER. P. Henry, dyer, 125, William-street.

WANTED, MASONS. Apply Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, 2 Bricklayers, Napoleon-st., nr. Lord Nelson Hotel, Balmain. Bring tools. Hucheson and Fay.

WANTED, an IMPROVER to the carpentry, short job. Wm. Duncan, 268, Park-road.

WANTED, a first-class Coachpainter for country. Apply Messrs. Haining and Schemil, 207, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, 2 first-class PAINTERS for kalsomining. Quarter to 8, Mick Simmonds' Sample Rooms, Campbell-st.

WANTED, CARPENTER. Apply 85, Old South Head-road, Woollahra.

WANTED, good DRESSMAKER for few days. 58, Carlisle-street, Leichhardt.

WANTED, CARPENTER and JOINER. Rear of 136, Gipps-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a young MAN, to assist in butchering. W. Mars, 245, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Improver to Joinery, good job. Apply Cain's Hotel, Athlone-place, George-street West.

WANTED, 2 CARPENTERS. Apply, 8 a.m. sharp, Collis's Agency, Summer Hill.

WANTED, a CARPENTER. Apply 83, Oxford-street, at 8.30.

WANTED, a smart BOY, for hairdresser and tobacconist. Apply 112, Oxford-street, opposite Crown-street.

WANTED, a CARPENTER. Apply this morning 352, Victoria street, near Liverpool-street.

WANTED, a PLUMBER, at once, for guttering and water. Apply Court House, Point Piper-road.

WANTED, a good Brass FINISHER for lathe work, cock founder preferred. Watson and Crane, 375, Pitt-st.

WANTED, experienced Dressmaker with small capital, partner in country bus. City View Hotel, 363, Elizab'h-st.

WANTED, a good Hardware CLERK to assist in extending stock books. Apply at once with references to Hardware, Box 224, G. P. Office.

WANTED, eight Kerosene Shale MINERS, for Long Wall, to open Katoomba Shale Mine; constant employment. Apply to Joseph Edwards, manager, Katoomba.

WANTED, for a Mine at Mount Morgan, Queensland, a Mining MANAGER with good practical experience; must be steady, energetic, and trustworthy, and have good references. By letter, stating salary required, to Gold, Box 693, G.P.O.

WANTED, a practical MAN to take charge of a Huntingdon Crushing Mill in New South Wales, must thoroughly understand the process. Apply, with testimonials, stating terms, to Huntingdon, Herald Office.

WANTED, a strong LAD, must be a good hand with a smoothing plane, no others need apply, 5s per day. Apply H. Ellis, 121½, Liverpool-street, between Pitt and George streets.

WANTED, smart Cash BOY, with reference to honesty; 12s 6d; half-past 8 to half-past 6, half-hour for lunch; Saturdays, 10 p.m., half-hour for lunch and tea. Apply H. Steggs, 114A, Pitt-street, between 10 and 12 o'clock to-day.

WANTED, a good General WHEELWRIGHT. Apply, stating wages, to J. CONWAY, Wheelwright, &c., Warren.

Situations Wanted

A COMPT. young Cook waiting; Cook, C. and L., H'keepers, Nurses, &c., highest refs. Cragg's, 240, C'reagh-st.

A GIRL, 14, disengaged, quick and willing, as Nurse and useful, exc. refs.; good Generals. 214, Castlereagh-street.

ALL classes Servants can be engaged, town and country. Miss Hall's Registry, 171, Castlereagh-street.

ALL classes Female Servants disengaged, town or country, refs. Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

ANXIOUS for Situation as Cook or General, person with a child, wages 6s. Registry, 168, Castlereagh-st.

AS GARDENER and useful; can milk if required; 5 years' character. H. J., Herald Office.

AS General Servant or Cook, without washing, steady person, 5 years' refs. Registry, 168, Castlereagh-st.

AS General Servant in small family, respectable person. Address E. W., 227, Crown-street, Darlinghurst.

AS GROOM, gardener, drive, milk, generally useful man; references. J. P., 32, Francis-street, Hyde Park.

AT Mrs. Perrie's, 168, Castlereagh-st.—Waiting, Gens., Housemaids, Cooks, Laun., Nurses, Girls, town or country.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—No charge made to employers engaging Male Servants for country and town.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Waiting Engagement, young English Nurse, splen. refs., speak French well.

AT the Equitable, 230, Castlereagh-st.—All Classes female Servants, Men Cooks, Indian Men, waiting eng.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Waiting, Superior House and Parlourmaid, good references.

A RESPECTABLE country Girl wants Situation as Housemaid. Address L. A. M., Post-office, St. Peters.

A YOUNG Girl requires Place as House or H. and P. Maid. A. B., 9, Napier-street, Paddington.

A YOUNG Woman wishes Situation in hotel, house M. & Laundress, exp.; refs. Miss Hall's Office, 171, C'reagh-st.

A YOUNG Man wants SITUATION, as bread carter or smallgoods. B. W., care Mrs. Mackieson, Mitchell-street, North Shore.

A RESPECTABLE SITUATION wanted by two sisters—one as cook, the other housemaid; suburbs preferred. Open 3 days. Good references. Address 605, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

A SMART respectable young Man seeks SITUATION, willing to be useful about house and keep garden in order, good worker, references, no hotels; wages 15s. Open till noon on Wednesday. C. S. Houghton, Botany-street, Randwick.

A WELL-EDUCATED and thoroughly domesticated Lady would act as Amanuensis or Reader to an invalid lady or gentleman; references exchanged. Address T. X., Herald Office.

BY good Man (26), groom, garden, milk, drive, mow, &c., 18 months' refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY Married Couple (young), groom, garden, milk, &c.; wife, C. and L., refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY good Men Cooks, Milkers, Gardeners, Bakers, Ploughmen, useful Men. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

BY middle-aged MAN, garden, groom and drive. Pelargonium, 15, Macquarie-street South.

BOOT TRADE.
A young married man, for many years connected with the above trade, desires position to take the Management or Charge of a Retail Shop; good buyer, can indent, thoroughly acquainted with the trade in all its branches; country township preferred; good refs. Address St. Crispin, Herald Office, Sydney.

COACHMAN, competent, Stock Station Manager, Traveller, Collector, any work. W., 47, North-st., Leichhardt.

COOK, first-class, seeks good SITUATION. Mrs. Bowers, 197, Goulburn-street, city.

DOMESTICATED Lady desires an APPOINTMENT as Housekeeper or Companion. Companion, Herald Office.

DRESSMAKER would work in lady's house or at home; good fitter. Eda, Post-office, Oxford-street.

EMPLOYERS, try Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street. All labour engaged and forwarded.

EXPERIENCED Clerk of Works Open for RE-ENGAGEMENT highest testimonials and references (English and Colonial). Apply Box 885, G. P. O., Sydney.

GARDENER, experienced, open to Engagement, can milk; first-class refs. Address F. H., Herald Office.

GARDENER, 28, good milker, wants SITUATION, good references. H., 20, Margaret-street.

GARDENER, long experience, requires JOB or perm. situation; highest testimonials. W. WEIR, Rockdale.

GARDENS and LAWNS done and kept up, Sydney or suburbs. Gardeners, 66, Raglan-street, Waterloo.

GENTLEMAN, educated, good address, abstemious, wishes SITUATION as Amanuensis, &c., refs. Bonus, Herald.

GOVERNESSES, finishing, medium, nursery; Lady Helps and H. Keepers, &c., waiting Eng'ts. 55, Hunter-st.

GOVERNESSES, Housekeepers, L. Helps, &c., may be engaged. Y. W. C. A., Loma House, Wynyard-square.

GROOM wants SITUATION, drive, milk, garden; Sydney refs. P. G., Herald Office.

HOUSE and Parlour Maid wants SITUATION, gent.'s family, refs. Address F. M., Post-office, William-street.

HOUSEMAID.—Young Woman requires SITUATION, suburbs pref., open till August 7. J. E. F., Herald.

LADY desires Daily Employment, teaching, accounts, needlework, dressmaking. Alma, Post-office, William-st.

MARRIED Couple, without encumbrance, wants Situation; wife, C. and L.; man, Garden, N. F., North Sh. P. O.

RESPECTABLE boy wants SITUATION on farm or dairy. E. G., North Shore Post-office.

SHIRTS washed and ironed, 3d; collars, 9d dozen; shirts ironed, 1½d. Carlo, Bowden-street, Woollahra.

SITUATION, House and Parlour Maid, or Nurse. Apply by letter T. M., No. 9, Stephen-street, Woolloomooloo.

SITUATION wanted by good mechanic, with reference. Apply G. G., Herald Office.

SITUATION wanted, Groom and Coachman, &c., country preferred. W. C., 299, Elizabeth-street.

SITUATIONS wanted by two sisters in same house. Apply by letter, Miss Burns, Edgecliffe Post-office.

STRONG young Woman wishes WASHING or Scrubbing by the day. Apply 178, Cameron-st., Woollahra.

TO Wholesale Grocers and Oil and Colour Merchants.—Advertiser, age 30, requires SITUATION, as Traveller or Manager in above trades; 12 years' experience; excellent refs.; security if required. J. M., 179, Albion-st., Surry Hills.

TO SQUATTERS.—A young Gentleman, recently arrived from England, is desirous of becoming thoroughly acquainted with Australian bush life, is anxious for position on station in any capacity; good references. Address care Capt. Strachan, 8, Ferry-road, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS.—A gentleman, having a thoroughly practical knowledge of every branch, competent draftsman, specifications and quantities, with commercial experience, is open to an ENGAGEMENT with a Builder or Architect, or as Clerk at Works; first-class references. Address A. B., 60, Castlereagh-street.

WAITING, C. and L., H. and P., same house, friends; Nurse and assist. Amos' Registry, Ashfield.

WAITING, Ladies' Companion or Help, low wages; also Waiting Housemaids. Registry Office, 205, Oxford-st.

WANTED, SITUATION as Groom and Coachman; good refs. Address J. B., Post-office, Park-street.

WANTED, by respectable honest young person, Situation in confectioner's shop. H. B., Redfern P. O.; refs.

WANTED, by three experienced Men, Employment as Rabbit Catchers. H. H., 148, Princes-street, Sydney.

WANTED, Brickwork, setting Cooking Ranges, Tile-laying, Tuckpointing. T. Dickinson, Illawarra-rd., M'kvle.

WANTED, SITUATION as House and P. Maid in small private family. Catholic Home, 195, William-street.

WANTED to APPRENTICE gentleman's son to first-class artistic painter. J. W., P. O., William-street.

WANTED, by young Person, Situation as H. Maid, in hotel, town or country. L. Anderson, Oxford-st. P. O.

WANTED, by respectable person, WASHING or CLEANING by day or week. 92, Rosehill-street, Redfern.

WANTED, by a respectable Person, SITUATION Cook and Laundress, also General, ref. 17, Surry-st., Dar.

WANTED, SITUATIONS by two friends, Housemaid and Waitress. Apply 3, Elger-street, Glebe.

WANTED, by person with child, PLACE as Housekeeper to old. gent. or eld. couple. M.C., Cam'down P. O.

WANTED, by a Young Woman from the country, SITUATION as G. S. or House and Parlour Maid. Good references. A. Ellis, Haymarket Post-office.

WANTED, by a steady sober married man, a SITUATION as Clerk, or any other position of trust, low wages. F. Eastwood, Alexander-street, St. Leonards.

WANTED, by respectable man (21) SITUATION as Accountant, Collector, drive, or work, in store, two years Sydney references. Reliable, Herald.

WANTED, by respectable Person, with child 3 years old, SITUATION in restaurant or boarding-house, to assist; a good washer. Address Mrs. Cumming, George-street, Redfern.

YOUNG Lady disengaged, to play Dance Music, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays. 160, Devonshire-st., S. Hills.

YOUNG Person wants Situation as Nurse to one or two children. E., Post-office, Paddington.

YOUNG Lady wants SITUATION as Lady Help, good needlewoman. Victorian, Herald Office.

YOUNG Lady wants SITUATION as Lady Help or Companion to lady. Urgent, G. P. O.

YOUNG Person requires SITUATION, homely family, treated same. M. D., Watson's Agency, Ashfield.

YOUTH, age 17, wants EMPLOYMENT; live out. Address No. 10, Herald Office.

YOUNG Lady desires an ENGAGEMENT as Useful Companion, good needlewoman; would assist in household duties; comfortable home more desired than high salary. W. M. G., Post-office, Windsor.

YOUNG Lady (R. C.) desires SITUATION as Lady's Companion or Nursery Governess in gentleman's family in or near town, good needlewoman, own machine, salary no object, highest references. Address Mota, P. O., Oxford-street.

Servants Wanted

A CLEAN, tidy GIRL, 14, assist housework. 27, Belmore-street, off Albion-street, Surry Hills.

A COOK and Laundress required. Apply before 2 o'clock, Mrs. Reynolds, Engehurst, 36, Begg-street, Paddington.

ACTIVE Young MAN, bottle department, good wirer. Edinburgh Brewery, Catherine-street, Leichhardt.

A GENERAL SERVANT, references required, train from Sydney paid. Mrs. Cox, Curt street, Ashfield.

A GENERAL SERVANT, who can cook and wash. Grand View Hotel, Oxford-street, Paddington.

AN ACTIVE Girl as HOUSEMAID, wait table; good wages, references. 21, Jamieson-street.

A RESPECTABLE BOY wanted. Apply 10 a.m., Aubrey Davis, Royal Arcade.

A SMART BOY wanted. Apply 306, George-street.

A STRONG BOY wanted, boots at Mascotte, 147, Phillip-street. Apply after 10.

AT Jubilee Reg. Office, 199A, Elizabeth-st.—Wanted, Generals, Cooks, and Laundresses, Burwood; young Girls.

AT Miss Fowler's, 215, Castlereagh-st.—Good Cook and Laundress, and House and P. Maid, country and Burwood.

AT Mrs. Shepparde's, Bathurst-st.—C. and L., H. and P. Maids, Housemaid, Laun., H. and P. Maids, same house.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, Married Couples for stations—man cook, wife housework; others various.

AT 83, Market-st.—Wanted, Bush Carpenters, country, 25s, Milkers, Carters, Butchers, Grocers, Cooks, Farmers, &c.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st. (female dept.)—Wanted, Domestic Servants for all parts; plenty places, town & sub.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, respectable middle-aged Woman as G. Serv., for Liverpool, Protestant.

AT 108, Bathurst-street, G. Institute.—Wanted, exp. Laun., £52, and H.P. Maid, £40, station; H P. Maid, £40.

A YOUNG Girl as General SERVANT, small family. 15, Eliza-street, off Queen-street, Woollahra.

A YOUNG GIRL, assist in Housework. First cottage past O'Brien's Store, Elswick-street, Leichhardt.

A YOUNG Girl, as House and Parlour Maid, required. Estherville, 48, Young-st., betn. Bent and Bridge sts., city.

A YOUNG Man wanted, as PORTER, able to drive. 97, Elizabeth-street.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, man Cook, station; Pantryman, town; several H. P. Maids, country hotels; Nurse and Needlewoman, Darling Point; G. S., two in family, country; several Cooks and Laundresses, G. S.'s, Girls.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Wanted, superior M. Couple, 4 fam., £85, groom and gardener, wife C. L., M. Couple, Jenolan Caves, kitchenman and useful, wife C. L.; £70; young Man, gardener, milk, and useful.

AT 108, Bathurst-street, G. Institute.—Wanted, exp. Cook, 20s.; young Cooks, G. Servants, Housemaid, for station; 2 H. P. Maids, country hotel; 2 exp. Laundresses, 1 Prot.; exp. Nurse and N., 15s; G. Servant, country; useful Girls, Nursegirls; C. L., 18s, Darlinghurst; Housemaid, station.

BOY for store wanted. Train and Co., 3, Canada-buildings, Queen's-place, near Circular Quay.

BOY as Messenger, living at Darlington or Glebe preferred. Turner and Henderson, Hunter-street.

BURWOOD, Allen's Registry.—Wanted, 10 General S., 10s to 14s; Comp., 1 H. M., to assist with children.

BOYS wanted to distribute circulars round Darlinghurst, Paddington, and Woollahra. Apply between 10 and 11 a.m. to 67, Darlinghurst-road.

COOKS and Laundresses wanted, House, Parlourmaids, Laundress, Generals. Miss Tripe, 217, Castlereagh-street.

COUNTRY Clergyman, small income, without wife or family, requires careful HOUSEKEEPER; no servant kept; references. Address Parson, Herald Office.

ENGLISH Servants wanted, Cook and Laundress, House and Parlour Maid. Apply 129, Elizabeth-street.

GOOD COOK wanted, in restaurant. Apply early, 14, Park-street.

GOOD General SERVANT required, 6 in family; wages 12s. Mary Villa, Crystal-street, Petersham.

HOUSEMAID wanted. 57, Lower Fort-street, Dawes Point.

HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID wanted; thoroughly competent; wages, £40. Apply Mrs. Bruce Smith, Sherbourne, Nelson-street, Woollahra, before noon.

MARRIED COUPLE wanted for Moss Vale; Man to groom, milk, and garden; Wife as general servant. Apply both together, with references, at A. Tange and Co.'s office, 58, Pitt-street.

MARRIED COUPLE, without children, for a gentleman's family in suburbs—man to milk and garden, wife for general service. Apply both together, with references, at the chemical works, Harbour-place, Liverpool-street West.

PERSON wanted for housework; sleep at home. 160, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

RESPECTABLE young GIRL wanted, assist house'k and children. Mrs. Blackshaw, 237, William-st., Dar'st.

RESPECTABLE YOUTH wanted for Railway Bookstall, Petersham; must be smart and intelligent and find security for £10; hour to commence, 6 a.m.; salary to commence, 30s per week. By letter only, H. Lloyd, 492, Castlereagh-street. State previous experience.

SKANDINAVER.—Young Men without situations, fond of hunting, wanted as Companions. D.N.S., Herald.

SLEEPER CHOPPERS wanted. Apply Goodlet and Smith, Pyrmont.

WAITRESS wanted, at once. Apply between 7 and 9 p.m. this day, 254A, Victoria-street.

WAITRESS wanted, smart, young. Apply after 10 o'clock, 474, George-street, opposite Markets.

WAITRESS wanted, at once. 563, George-street, Eldorado Café.

WANTED, respectable willing Girl for Neutral Bay, 2 in family. Apply after 11, 253, Crown-street.

WANTED, a coloured or Chinese BOY, to do general work and wait at table. 60, Macleay-street, Potts Point.

WANTED, a young Woman as General SERVANT. Mrs. Hicks, corner of Cavendish and Holt sts., Stanmore.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, about 16, to nurse a baby. Creba, 134, Point Piper-road, Paddington.

WANTED, good Shirt IRONERS. The Troy Laundry, 34, Lansdowne-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a good General Servant for lady and gentleman; H. and P. Maid. The Home, 25, Clarence-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT, must be honest, two in family. 416, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a smart KITCHENMAN, able to grill. 15, Park-street.

WANTED, a MAN, to make himself generally useful; 12s per week. Granville Hotel, Granville.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Granville Hotel, Granville.

WANTED, competent House and Parlour MAID. Mrs. Curtics, Thames-street, Balmain.

WANTED, General SERVANT, for small family. Apply Homeville, Missenden-road, Camperdown.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, references required. Apply 98, Botany-st., between the hours 9 and 12.

WANTED, LABOURERS, for pulling down and cleaning bricks. Harris-st., Pyrm., 9 o'c., Moloney's.

WANTED, a Man COOK. Apply 9 p.m., Picton Arms, Campbell-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. Apply Tenby Club, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, NURSE for young child. Apply Hammersley, 332, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, for small family at Coogee, a competent General Servant. Apply 164, Phillip-st., between 10 and 1.

WANTED, a Pulling HAND for Twofold Bay Whale Fishery. R. B. Asher, 65, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, Apply Golden Gate Hotel, George-street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply after 11 a.m. to Sarander, Grosvenor-street, Waverley.

WANTED, a General SERVANT who can wash and do plain cooking, no children. 88, Goodhope-st., Paddg'n.

WANTED, smart, steady BOY, about 15. Apply between 8 and 9 Tuesday morning, 223, Clarence-street.

WANTED, respectable NURSE, Protest., 3 children. Mrs. Woodriff, Liverpool-road, Enfield, near Burwood.

WANTED, competent General SERVANT, small family; another kept. Milford, Waverley-st., Waverley.

WANTED, steady MAN, milk and useful in the yard. Apply J. Murphy, Illawarra-road, Marrickville.

WANTED, General SERVANT, for country; active and trustworthy. Apply The Home, Market-st., 11 o'clock.

WANTED, strong young MAN, one who wants work, to wash bottles. Burns, Rowe-street.

WANTED, first-class WAITRESS. Apply, with copy testimonials, Box 1044, G. P. O.

WANTED, young Woman as ATTENDANT to two children, and Needlewoman, Prot. Box 427, G. P. O.

WANTED, thoroughly competent Nurse, second nurse kept. Mrs. Laidley Mort, Greenoaks, Darling Point.

WANTED, a smart LAD. J. W. Dawson, poulterer, 14 and 16, George-street Markets.

WANTED, a Person to do housework, also to sleep at home. Apply No. 70, Queen-street, Glebe, off Bay-street.

WANTED, a smart WAITRESS. Apply 504, George-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, three in family. Apply 309, George-street North.

WANTED, experienced Midday WAITRESS. Apply to Ceylon Tea Co., 354, George-street, 10 a.m.

WANTED, a good General Servant; shirts put out. Apply H. Reeves, 151, Glebe-road, Glebe.

WANTED, 2 competent SERVANTS—one General, other Nurse and assist (Prots.); refs. 265, Glebe-road.

WANTED, a tidy respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. L. A. BIBB, 129, Glebe Point-road, Glebe.

WANTED, young MAN, serve round, make himself useful. E. A. Dunrich, butcher, Oxford-st., Waverley.

WANTED, respectable neat little Girl as NURSE, assist h'work. Mrs. H. Alpen, 17, Derwent-st., Glebe.

WANTED, a smart Girl, as Housemaid, and assist in bar. Victoria Café, 315, George-st. Apply after 10 a.m.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply before noon, 41, Regent-street, Paddington.

WANTED, young COOK and Laundress. Apply Tuesday, Wednesday, 10 to 12. 40, College-street.

WANTED, a BOY, accustomed to racehorses, for Kogarah. 663, George-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, General SERVANT, must be good cook; references. Apply 9, Richmond-terrace, Domain.

WANTED, General SERVANT, small family. Apply after 4, Savings Bank, 508, George-street.

WANTED, a Working HOUSEKEEPER, for a family of two; widow preferred, references. Apply Mrs. F. A. Fryer, Clayton, Trafalgar-street, Petersham.

WANTED, a MAN, to milk and deliver. Apply 166, Woolloomooloo-street.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL; sleep at home. Apply 23, Wilson-street, nr. Fish Market, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, smart young woman, General SERVANT; another kept. Valetta, Brougham-terrace, Victoria-st.

WANTED, Cook, Laundress, general Servant, useful Girls; waiting, Housemaids, Nurses. Mrs. Welsh, Pab'n.

WANTED, thorough General SERVANT, 3 in family. Mrs. Israel, Oxford House, 54, Botany-street.

WANTED, Married Couple as House SERVANTS. Apply on Wednesday, Mrs. Paterson, Addison-rd., Manly.

WANTED, young MAN and Boy. Apply Walker's Dairy, near Mort's Dock, Balmain.

WANTED, for private family, young General SERVANT, no washing, refs. 10, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.

WANTED, a useful MAN, one who can cook. Mrs. Rose, Glenbrook, Queen-st., Ashfield. Tuesday morning.

WANTED, two good QUARRYMEN, with tools. Apply 120, George-street West.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. [illegible] O'Connell-street, city.

WANTED as Parlourmaid; must be well up in waiting at table. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m., 117, Princes-st.

WANTED, 10 General Servants; also useful Girl, meet lady 11 sharp. Registry Office, 205, Oxford-street.

WANTED, respectable BARMEN with references. 369, Bourke-street, before 9 o'clock.

WANTED, an active Girl as General SERVANT; sleep at home preferred. 317, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a respectable Girl as HOUSEMAID, wait at table, &c. Apply 169, Macquarie-street North.

WANTED, respectable GIRL about 15, generally useful. Ettaville, Campbell-street, Milson's Point, N. Shore.

WANTED, by two sisters—one as General Servant and other light house work. Apply 250, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, General SERVANT, small family. [illegible] Liverpool-street, off George-street.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, about 15, assist housework. Apply after 10, 546, George-st., op. Town Hall.

WANTED, good PLOUGHMAN, steady, long engagement, fair wages. 11 a.m., 21, Gowrie-street, Newtown.

WANTED, good SHIRT IRONERS; constant. Surrey Laundry, Glenmore-road, near Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED, good active GIRL for kitchenwork; sleep out; wages, 12s. Apply before 9 a.m., 46, Kippax-street.

WANTED, smart LAD or YOUTH; bring references. Cosens, tailor, corner Clarence and Margaret streets.

WANTED, a strong, active BOY, must be good sweeper. Apply 10 a.m. to Caretaker, High School.

WANTED, a strong LAD, accustomed to yachts. Apply to Mr. Waters, Double Bay.

WANTED, a thorough General Servant; wages [illegible] Mrs. Wilkins, Wharf-rd., Snail's Bay; or 311, George-st.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID; reference required. Apply 115, Glenmore-road, between 3 and 5 o'clock.

WANTED, useful GIRL, to mind a baby. Apply News Agency, 153, Cleveland-street, Redfern.

WANTED, young General SERVANT, good plain cook, light washing, references. 762, George-street.

WANTED, young Girl, Nurse (Prot.), two children walking. Mrs. W. S. Williams, Carlton, Wm.-st., D'st.

WANTED, General SERVANT. Apply at once, Mrs. W. S. Williams, Carlton, William-st., Double Bay.

WANTED, a Light-weight BOY; one accustomed to horses. Apply Victoria Lodge, Bligh-street, Newtown.

WANTED, young MAN, able to saw; 10 a.m. [illegible] Depot, West-street, St. Leonards.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT; Prot., ref. required. The Ferns, Prospect-road, Summer Hill.

WANTED, at once, good Washers; also, strong Girls for hanging out. Ashfield Laundry, L'pool-rd., Croydon.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. International Dining-rooms, Wharf-street, foot of Market street.

WANTED, General SERVANT. 655, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, WASHERS, Folders, and Ironers. Wilson's Steam Laundry, Collins-st., off Crown-st., Surry H.

WANTED, useful GIRL, fond of children. [illegible] street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a Smart WAITER. Victoria Coffee Palace, Market-street.

WANTED, reliable MAN to work small orchard and vineyard, cow and poultry. T. C. Robinson, [illegible]

WANTED, a young NURSE and Needlewoman for child, 3 years old. Lansdowne, 30, Bayswater-rd., Darl'st.

WANTED, Girl as NURSE, about 15. Mrs. Murray, 221, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a young Girl as NURSE, refs. [illegible] toria-street North.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply [illegible] George-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL for Café, and to be useful in house, reference required. 251, Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, CARTER, knowing town, suburbs, understand horses. 58, Harris-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD. Apply W. Tucker, butcher, 172, George-street North.

WANTED, thorough Gen. SERVANT, good [illegible] Apply after 10, Tuesday, Dunoon, Toxteth rd., Glebe P.

WANTED, a neat Girl as HOUSEMAID. Apply before 11, Mrs. Atherton, 139, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a respectable BOY used to butchering. Apply N. C. Goodwin, 149, Foveaux-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, 4 Married Couples for stations, wages £[illegible] to £85 per annum. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, 4 Married Couples, men as Cooks, wives Laundresses and Housemaids, wages £80. Glue's Agency.

WANTED, 2 Female Servants for country hotel, [illegible] for station. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, Ploughmen and Team Driver, Groom for station, Groom for butcher. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-st.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 138, Woolloomooloo-street, near Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a respectable Man COOK. Apply [illegible] Darlinghurst-road, corner Bayswater-road.

WANTED, a MAN, to quarry ballast, piece work. Dobroyde Quarry, Summer Hill. M. Smith.

WANTED, young Girl, as General SERVANT. Corner of Campbell and Smith streets, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 78, Albion-street, 3 doors from Codrington-street, Darlington.

WANTED, a BOY, 14 or 15 years old. International Dining Rooms, 4, George-street West.

WANTED, strong BOY. Apply new cottage, Regent-street, Summer Hill.

WANTED, a Young GIRL, to assist with housework. Reunion, Kensington-road, Summer Hill.

WANTED, a smart, sober KITCHENMAN, used to Restaurant. 397, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a Person to do housework. 116, Liverpool-street.

WANTED, GIRL, mind baby, sleep home. Garlick, No. 2, Selwyn-street, Moore Park.

WANTED, a good Pick and Shovel MAN. Apply early. 20, Chapman-st., off Liverpool-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a steady middle-aged MAN, accustomed to horses. Apply Glacken, Sons, Co., Milson's Point.

WANTED, a good COOK and Laundress. Apply Golden Fleece Hotel, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, respectable young Girl as General Servant, no washing. Claremont, 34, Lower Fort-street.

WANTED, a good COOK for survey camp; references required. Apply 10 a.m. to-day, J. M. GREIG and CO., 90, King-street.

WANTED, strong active young MAN, write good hand, quick at figures, generally useful. Apply [illegible] Sugden, Naranders.

WANTED, GIRL, about 14, assist light duties, board and clothes in return, servant kept. Apply by letter, [illegible] Morriss, Post-office, William-street.

WANTED, an honest, clean, strong Woman as House and Parlour MAID. Call from 1 to 3, and after [illegible] at 1, Marathon-avenue, Darling Point.

WANTED, a thorough General SERVANT, three in family, nurse kept; wages 14s. Apply before [illegible] Mrs. Clements, Albert-street, Strathfield.

WANTED, a young GIRL to assist with children and in housework. Apply during morning to Mrs. [illegible] Fitzroy-street, Burwood.

WANTED, a competent NURSE, between 25 and [illegible] years of age, for two children. Apply Mrs. [illegible] Alberto-terrace, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, respectable young GIRL, about 15 [illegible] to be generally useful, comfortable home. Mrs. [illegible] Maudville, Edgeware-road, Enmore.

WANTED, a young Woman as General SERVANT (no ironing), English or Scotch preferred; [illegible] quired. This (Tuesday) morning, 11, Richmond-terrace, Domain.

WANTED for Woollahra, a respectable young Woman as General SERVANT; references required. Apply to-day at Campbellville, corner Queen and [illegible] Woollahra.

WANTED, a tidy strong GIRL, as General Servant, no washing. 25 miles in the country, wages [illegible] ferences required, meet lady 11 o'clock. Cragg's [illegible] gistry, 240, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, Married Couple, young, without [illegible] ties, man indoor servant, wife C. and L., [illegible] suburb, meet lady Thursday, 11 a.m., refs. [illegible] Mittagong, splendid place; C. and L., &c. Cragg's [illegible]

WANTED, for the country, a young MAN to [illegible] bread and groceries, and to be useful. Apply by letter, with copies of references only, to E. and W. Fieldhouse, [illegible] town.

WANTED, at once, a young Girl, as General SERVANT, must be good cook and laundress, for three in family; references required. Mrs. Nathan, [illegible] Boulevard, Lewisham, 4 doors past Baptist Church.

WANTED, a strong YOUTH, to assist in [illegible] stoves and ranges; none need apply unless they had some experience. Apply F. Lassetter and Co., Limited, between 8 and 9 o'clock, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings.

WANTED, for the Camden district, two respectable young Women—one as H. and P. MAID, the other as HOUSEMAID and LAUNDRESS; wages, 14s; good references indispensable. Apply Tuesday and Wednesday morning [illegible] Casula, Charles-street, Burwood, before 12 o'clock.

WANTED, young Man as Boots and useful, [illegible] hotel, country; a Cabinetmaker, 30s and board, [illegible] a man Cook, 25s, station; a man Cook, £40, station; [illegible] Man, 15s; Groom and Gardener, milk, £1; a Butter-Maker, [illegible] engine and separator, 25s; a Married Couple, with house [illegible] man groom, milk, &c., station, £80. Simmonds, 222, C'reagh-st.

WANTED, female Cook or C. and L., 18s, [illegible] family, suburb, good place; a Cook, female, 15s, [illegible] 3 Cooks, £40, station; 2 Laundresses, 15s, Bourke, [illegible] £40, station; a General Servant, no cooking, 15s, [illegible] and N., 14s, stations; a Nurse, 12s; Housemaid, 12s, [illegible] family, Goulburn; 7 G. Servants, Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

YOUNG GIRL wanted; light work. 1, Stella-[illegible] Spring-street, Waverley.

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